THE WEATHER
Today, increasing cloudiness, followed by rain; Sunday clearing.

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ANOTHER BRITISH VESSEL IS SUNK

Steamer Lockwood Torpedoed by German Submarine—Members of Crew Saved—Norwegian Steamer Struck by German Projectiles During Bombardment—Captain Killed

LONDON, April 3.—The British steamer Lockwood was torpedoed by a German submarine Friday night off Start point in Devonshire. The members of the crew were saved. The Lockwood was owned in London. Built in 1896, she was of 677 tons and 236 feet long.

NORWEGIAN CAPTAIN KILLED

A Reuter despatch from Bergen says the Norwegian consul at Lisbon has reported to the owners that the Norwegian steamer Loevstakken was struck by projectiles during the German bombardment of Libau and seriously damaged. Captain Handsland was killed by a shell fragment. The Loevstakken is a vessel of 2,000 tons owned by S. A. Olsen & Co., of Bergen.

QUIET IN THE DARDANELLES

LONDON, April 3, 4.42 a. m.—A despatch to the Times from Mytilene dated Thursday, says:

"Except for a few shots on the 23th and the reported bombardment of Turkish positions near the Gulf of Saros by the Queen Elizabeth, there has been no fighting recently in the Dardanelles region.

"The British public which may have taken too light hearted a view of the campaign against the gates of the Turkish empire, will have to exercise patience and be prepared to accept heavy losses with equanimity. Owing to the weather and other reasons the Turks and Germans had time to strengthen greatly the positions on both sides of the straits. They have a fair supply of artillery mounted in excellent positions which the allies' naval guns cannot always reach.

"There is nothing to show that the absence of comaraderie between the German and Turkish officers has diminished the fighting efficiency of the army to any considerable extent. The Turk shows at his best in defensive operations and much hard fighting in which the allies must suffer heavily may be expected before the allies are able to train their guns on the Porte."

ABOUT LORD ROSEBERRY

ROME, April 2, 9.10 p. m., via Paris, April 3, 5.10 a. m.—A statement has been issued by the British embassy, officially denying a report which has been current here that Lord Roseberry is coming to Rome on a special mission for his government or that any other person has been selected to undertake such a mission.

Many citizens of belligerent nations who have lived in Italy for years have made application for Italian citizenship, but the government has decided not to grant their requests until the close of the war.

BOMB FAILED TO EXPLODE

PARIS, April 3, 6.10 a. m.—A bomb which failed to explode was found in the garden of the Greek legation at Sofia, Bulgaria, close to the minister's private office, according to a Havas despatch from Athens. An investigation is being made by the police.

OFFICERS ORDERED HOME

BERLIN, via London, April 3, 10.15 a. m.—Five American army officers who have been attached to the German military forces in the capacity of observers, were ordered by cable today to return to the United States at once. The order came as a surprise as they expected to remain in Europe until the end of the war.

Lieut. Col. Joseph E. Kuhn, of the engineers who also has been acting as an observer, was not included in the order, as he hd been designated as military attache at the embassy at Berlin to succeed Major George T. Langhorn, recalled.

The United States officers since their arrival in Germany on Dec. 20 have spent two weeks on the western front and one week in the east. Those affected by the order are Major Clarence Williams of the ordnance department; Major Dwight E. Aultman of the field artillery; Captain Samuel D. Rockenbach of the cavalry; Captain Wilson B. Burtt of the infantry and Captain Samuel F. Shartle of the coast artillery.

RESIGNED IN A BODY

PARIS, April 3, 1.15 a. m.—Information has been received here to the effect that officials of the Belgian public works department who agreed to continue their duties with the understanding that they would not be asked to aid in the construction of military works, resigned in a body when ordered by the German military authorities to direct the repair and construction of roads designed for strategic purposes. The valuable archaeological and historical collection belonging to M. Huybrigts of Tongres, Belgium, is reported to have been ruined when his house was destroyed. The collection was valued by German experts before the beginning of the war at more than $87,500.

SOME IMPORTANT FIGHTING

VIENNA, via London, April 3, 10.15 a. m.—The fighting in Bukowina, according to information obtained from private sources, appears to be of more importance than is evident from the surface indications in official reports. Apparently the Austrians have gained a success of considerable proportions.

The Russians had massed in force to check a threatened Austro-Hungarian invasion and reoccupy northern Bukowina. They are said to have attached considerable weight to this operation because of the effect it might have on public opinion in Rumania. Austrian advices are to the effect that the Russians were completely defeated and driven back into Bessarabia with very heavy losses in proportion to the number engaged.

BIG FUNERAL PARADE ON DEATH OF CHRIST

Greek Colony Turned Out in Line Bearing the "Epitaphios" Under Floral Canopy

The members of the Greek Orthodox church in Jefferson street observed the feast of Good Friday last night with special services in the church, followed by a procession through the Greek colony, in which the "Epitaphios" or honorary casket supposed to contain the body of Christ, was carried by eight men of the parish.

The services started at 7.30 o'clock and were attended by thousands of men, women and children. The "Epitaphios" had been placed in the centre of the church under a canopy of beautiful flowers, and while the faithful gathered in solemn veneration. The church was beautifully illuminated for the occasion and each member of the congregation held a lighted taper in his hand typical of the new light dawning upon the world in the resurrection of Christ.

At the close of the services, which consisted of the recitation of prayers and the singing of dirges, the congregation left the church and assembled in the street for a procession. The Sixth regiment band headed the line and played Chopin's "Marche Funebra," while in the rear came the "Epitaphios" borne by eight men of the parish. The pastor, Rev. Nestor Sousidis followed escorted by altar boys, swinging censors. The Greek Holy regiment came next and following them were thousands of worshippers, who carried lighted tapers, while the rear end of the line was taken up by the Philarmonic band and the church choir.

The procession wended its way through Jefferson, Lewis, Market, Adams, Cross and Jefferson streets into the church. Along the route the usual lights in homes and coffee houses were extinguished and lighted tapers decorated the windows. At the close of the procession the floral canopy was torn to pieces by the congregation and petals of roses or other flowers were carried home for souvenirs.

Special services were held in the church this morning and tomorrow the great feast of Easter will be observed in a fitting manner.

THE DEATH OF SUTPHEN

INQUEST SHOWS THE B. & M. RAILROAD WAS NOT TO BLAME FOR THE FATALITY

Associate Justice Frederick N. Chandler of Lawrence yesterday gave out a finding on the inquest held recently on the death of George Sutphen, 55, a woodchopper who lived in a hut near Lowell Junction and who met his death by being run over by a Boston & Maine train on the tracks between Lowell Junction and Ballardvale in January. After reviewing the evidence Judge Chandler said: "I find that Stephen Sutphen met his death by being run over by a theatre train of the Boston & Maine railroad, and from the extent of his injuries, that he must have been instantly killed. I find that whatever blame attaches to anyone for his death was his own."

Nine prizes, Associate, Monday eve.

DEATHS

LEWIS—Mrs Mary E. Lewis, formerly of this city, died Wednesday at the home of her son, George E. Lewis of Roxbury, Mass. She leaves besides her son, a sister, Miss H. Delia Clark of Roxbury, and three nephews, A. E. Graves of Nashua, N. H. and H. P. Graves and C. W. Graves of this city.

CHARETTE—Elias Charette, aged 4 years, 11 months, 20 days, an esteemed member of Branch Pawtucketville, A. C. F., died yesterday at his home, 403 Mammoth road, after a brief illness. He leaves beside his wife, his father, Telesphore Charette; two sons, Albert and Gerard and a daughter, Blanche Charette.

ROBBINS—Melvina A. Robbins died April 1 at her home in Carlisle, aged 90 years. She leaves two brothers, George H. Robbins of Carlisle and Henry Robbins of Westford.

ROCKWELL—Percy L. Rockwell, a student of the Lowell high school, died this morning at his home, 28 C street, aged 16 years, 8 mos., 22 days. He leaves besides his father, Guy L. Rockwell, one sister, Blanche, two brothers, Webster L. and Clifton R. Rockwell.

FIELDING—Fred A. Fielding, a former resident of this city and for the past years residing at Bozeman, Mont., died Wednesday at Los Angeles, Cal. Deceased was born in this city and for for some years he was a partner of his father, Henry A. Fielding in the hardware business at the present store of Bartlett & Dow. Thirty years ago he removed to Bozeman, Mont. The rigorous climate of Montana, however, impaired his death, and at times for the past few years, he and his wife made their home in Los Angeles, Cal. Deceased was favorably known in this city.

DEMAIO—Nicholas Demaio, aged 49 years, died this morning at St. John's hospital after a short illness. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Molloy. Deceased is survived by a wife, Phoebe. He was a member of N. E. O. P., Winchester lodge of New Haven, Conn.

FUNERAL NOTICES

ROCKWELL—Died, in this city, April 3, at his home, 28 C street, Percy L. Rockwell, aged 16 years, 8 mos., 22 days. Funeral services will be held from his home, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

LEIGHTON—The funeral of John Leighton will take place Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his home, 656 Bridge street. A high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church Monday morning at 8 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick cemetery, in charge of Charles H Molloy.

CONWAY—The funeral of the late John Conway will take place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Services at the grave in St. Patrick's cemetery. On Monday morning at 8 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

PERSONALS

Cyrus W. Russell has returned from a pleasant stay at Pinehurst, N. C.

Dr. and Mrs. McGannon have returned from California, where they spent th past few weeks.

George R. Smith was appointed organist of St. John's church to succeed Clayton R. Kimball, resigned.

Mr. Joseph Cameron of Quebec, Canada, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Francis Langlois, 200 Perkins street.

Congressman Rogers spoke before the Get-Together club of the Y. M. C. A. last evening on the subject, "Current Events in Washington."

SWISS SINGER THINKS SWOBODA IS INNOCENT

Man Accused of Causing Fire Aboard Steamer May be Victim of Plot or Terrible Mistake

GENEVA, April 3.—Flora Treischler, a Swiss singer whose home is in this city and who is a warm friend of Raymond Swoboda, declared yesterday she believed the man accused of causing the fire aboard the steamer La Touraine is the victim of "an odious plot or terrible mistake."

"I have known Mr. Swoboda for six years," she said. "I knew he was engaged in commercial and financial affairs but did not know the details for he never discussed his business affairs. He belongs to a wealthy New York family but his father cut off his allowance after several disagreements. One of his brothers is serving now as an interpreter with a British cavalry regiment.

"My friend never belonged to the German or the Austrian army. He still has relatives in Germany and may have been photographed in uniform in some of them.

"I know Mr. Swoboda closed an important deal to introduce in France a number of American products. The five trunks found in his Paris office contained samples. He intended also to make an effort to establish a business in Switzerland for he wrote me asking what were the prospects and where certain articles were likely to have the best sale.

"I received a letter from him which had been written aboard the Touraine telling what a narrow escape the ship had had. He gave a long description of the fire, which he said the officers believed must have been caused by an infernal machine placed in the hold."

MADE AUTOMOBILE TRIPS

PARIS, April 3.—Several automobile trips into the French provinces were made by Raymond Swoboda, now under arrest, charged with being responsible for the fire aboard the steamship La Touraine, according to information received by the Petit Journal. These journeys are said to have been made at various times between August and December last. Swoboda is said to have been seen at Nantes, Tours and Chatellerault among other places. The police now are trying to learn the purpose of these trips. A large government firearms factory is located at Chatellerault.

MOTHER RESCUES SON

BOSTON, April 3—Nelson Delamine, 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Delamine of 30 Kempt road, West Roxbury, was rescued by his mother at 7.30 last night when their home was destroyed by fire.

The boy was asleep in a bedroom when the fire was discovered by Mrs. Delamine while she was sitting with her husband in the kitchen of their home, a one and one-half story bungalow. The mother smelled smoke, and on opening the bedroom door was met by a rush of smoke and flames. She rushed into the room, grabbed up the sleeping boy and carried him outside.

Mr. Delamine tried to save some of the furniture, but was forced to leave the house because of the rapid headway of the flames, and nothing was saved but the clothes the members of the family wore at the time, the boy being clad only in his pajamas.

The fire brought out apparatus from the West Roxbury and Dedham departments, box 547 of the Boston department and box 521 of the Dedham department, which are located on the same post, being sounded. The fire started in a closet in the bedroom, but the cause is unknown.

The damage is estimated at $1150, of which $550 was to the house.

PAINTINGS DESTROYED

NEWTON, April 3.—Paintings estimated to be worth several thousands dollars were destroyed last evening, when the one-story concrete bungalow of Giovanni Trocolli, at 18 Moreland avenue, Newton Centre, was gutted by fire.

Mr. Trocolli, who is a maker of elaborate frames for portraits, as well as a painter, lives alone. Almost simultaneous with his return to the bungalow and his discovery of the fire, neighbors also perceived it.

In response to an alarm from box 731 the fire apparatus arrived only in time to find the structure a mass of flames.

Character party, Asso., Monday eve.

Mary, Thomas, Peter and the Others Were as Human as You Are: They Saw and heard the Risen Christ. Dr. Bartlett Tells the Story Sunday Night.

BIG WINDOW SMASHED

WOMAN FELL AGAINST WINDOW IN NELSON'S STORE AFTER COLLIDING WITH MAN

A peculiar accident occurred at the corner of Central and Middle streets shortly before 11 o'clock this forenoon when a man and woman collided on the sidewalk in turning the corner and hence a large plate glass window in Nelson's department store was smashed.

According to witnesses, as a man hurried down Middle street and was about to turn into Central, he collided with a woman who was walking slowly toward him and evidently gazing into the store windows. The force with which the man bumped the woman knocked her off her feet and she struck against the corner plate glass window, smashing the lower part of it and cracking the entire window. The woman who fell against the window did not sustain the slightest injury, it is said, while the man also missed the flying glass.

The peculiarity of the accident caused a large crowd to gather around the window and it was necessary to station a clerk on the sidewalk to keep persons from standing too near the windows as it was feared the rest of the glass would fall in. The window damaged was nine feet high and six feet wide and the glass was three-sixteenths of an inch thick.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

"Buy Now"
is the slogan used by the Mayor of Rosh.—especially good when it applies to a remedy for sour stomach, distress, nausea and indigestion. Why suffer day after day when Dys-peptlets will so readily give you relief? They are made from pepsin, bismuth, mint rhubarb and other things good for the stomach. In beautiful aluminum packet box, 10c. Get one from your druggist and carry it with you all the time. Large sizes, 25c, $1.00.

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Never paid less than
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Easter Neckwear
Easter Hats
Easter Coats
Easter Suits
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Be Be-Flounced Be-Ruffled Be-Ruched And Be-in-Style

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All the accessories of dress in original and unusual interpretations.

Spring Fashions for 1915 Easter Day.

Fashions are cyclical—modes and graces of an earlier day are returned. Mid-Victorian, Imperatrice Eugenie and the fashions under Louis Philippe are traced in the new season's styles—all savor of the romantic period of dress.

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EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 4th, 1915
Special Table D'Hote Dinner Served From Noon to 8 P. M.
$1.00 PER COVER
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Olives Celery Radishes Cucumbers
Mock Turtle Soup
Chicken Bouillon With Rice
Dinner Biscuits
Gridiron Fresh Bluefish Lemon Butter
Tomato Mayonnaise Potatoes O'Brien
Roman Punch
Young Vermont Turkey Cranberry Jelly
ROASTS
Sirloin of Prime, au jus
Young Suckling Pig, Potato Dressing
Mashed or New Potatoes
Wax Beans
New Asparagus on Toast
Cherry Fritter Wine Sauce
Fresh Strawberry Ice Cream
Assorted Wafers
Cheese Toasted Crackers Coffee
Singing by Miss Marguerite Turgeon
Lederman's Orchestra 5.30 to 8.30

COSTUME PARTY and CONCERT
By the Mathew Temperance Inst.
ASSOCIATE HALL, MONDAY EVE.
Concert from 8 to 8.30. Grand march from 8.30 to 9. Nine prizes are offered for best features in this event. General dancing from 9 to 1.
BRODERICK'S ORCHESTRA
Admission: Ladies, 25c; Gents, 35c

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Lozier Automobile
Having purchased a new car will sell my Lozier Buaieliff Model, small tonneau, in excellent condition, electric lights, etc., very fast; cost $5000. Also a small Buick touring car. Can be seen on Sunday at Garage, 377 Wilder Street. Telephone me 2150. H. L. Chalifoux.

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A La Carte Service
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One More Opportunity to Hear Dr. W. A. Bartlett
At the First Congregational Church
SUNDAY, AT 6.30 P. M.—DOORS OPEN AT 6
SUBJECT: "A Dramatic Evening With the Risen Christ"
Two soloists: Miss Doris J. Bartlett will sing "O Eyes That Are Weary and Hearts That Are Sore," F. J. Schnicker; and Mr. Geo. S. Drew. Two choruses and congregational singing.
GOOD SEATS FOR THOSE WHO COME EARLY

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Ask for particulars of our house wiring offer at once.
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Miss Clara Sexton
Soprano Boston Opera Company
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AT 10.30 O'CLOCK
SERMON TOPIC:
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GREAT EASTER FESTIVAL

Fine Musical Programs Prepared for Tomorrow's Services in the Local Churches

The Easter festival will be observed in all the churches of Lowell tomorrow with special musical services, sermons on the Resurrection and general rejoicing in the work of the redemption. The programs in most of the churches are given below.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

Solemn High Mass, 11 A. M.
Processional—Jesus Christ is Risen Today ..... Arundel
Sanctuary Choir
Vidi Aquam ..... W. A. Newland
Church Choir
Introit—Resurrexi ..... Falkenstein
Sanctuary Choir
Mass of St. Cecilia ..... Gounod
Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnus Dei
Church Choir
Gradual—Haec Dies .....Rosewig
Sequence—Victimae Paschali ....Tozer
James King, Tenor Soloist
Offertory—Terra Tremuit ..... Tozer
Sanctuary Choir
Motett—"Alleluia ..... Weigand
Church Choir
Communion—Pascha Nostrum.
Falkenstein
Recessional—Easter ..... Arundel
Sanctuary Choir
Responses by sanctuary choir of 80 voices. Brother Ninus, director. Church quartet: Miss Alice Murphy, soprano; Mrs. James Morris, contralto; Mr. John McNabb, tenor; Mr. Andrew A. McCarthy, baritone, assisted by Miss Teresa Slattery, Miss Margaret O'Donoghue, sopranos; Mr. John Keegan, tenor; Mr. D. S. O'Brien, baritone; a chorus of 30 voices, and Mr. M. J. Johnson at the organ.

Solemn Vespers, 7 p. m.
Processional—Jesus Christ is Risen Today ..... Arundel
Psalms and antiphons of the feast sung antiphonally by church and sanctuary choirs.
Antiphon of the Feast—Haec Dies, Lambillotte
Church Choir
Magnificat ..... Plain Chant
Antiphon of the Season—Regina Coeli, Rosewig
Sanctuary Choir
O Salutaris ..... Rossini
Andrew A. McCarthy
Tantum Ergo ..... Sewell
Church Choir
Laudate Dominum ..... Plain Chant
Recessional—The Lamb's High Feast, Arundel
Sanctuary Choir

The girls' choir under the direction of Sisters of Notre Dame, will sing Easter hymns at the 8.30 mass. At the offertory Miss Kathleen Jennings will sing Millard's "Ave Verum." Organist John J. Kelty.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH

Solemn High Mass at 11 a. m.

The choir will sing Gounod's mass of the Sacred Heart, and will be assisted by Miss Mary Whitely, soprano, Miss Vera McArdel, contralto; Mr. Lawrence Delany, tenor, and Mr. James Donnelly, baritone; Mr. Joseph Egan, cantor; Miss Caroline White, organist.

Solemn vespers at 7 p. m., with an appropriate musical program.

At the 9 o'clock mass Miss Gertrude Keleher will sing an O Salutaris by Faure.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH

Solemn mass at 10.45 a. m. Vespers at 7 p. m.

The musical program will be the "Messe Solonnelle," of Gounod, by the church choir, and some 16th century Motets by the Chancel choir.

The vesper service will be sung by the quartet and chancel choir, the psalms by Lefiner in the Falsobordono style of church music.

The music will be under the direction of Mr. James A. Murphy, and will be sung by the quartet and chorus choir of the church, and a chancel choir (vested) of 50 voices, men and boys. (a capella).

The soloists will be: Mrs. James A. Murphy, soprano; Miss Margaret Griffin, contralto; Mr. James A. Murphy, tenor; Mr. Thomas P. Boulger, bass; Miss Ella M. Reilly, organist.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Solemn High Mass, 11 a. m.
Organ prelude, Festive March
J. L. Eeb. Op. 23
Processional hymn, The Resurrection of Jesus ..... Mazzinger
Vidi Aquam ..... Gregorian
Introit, "Resurrexi,"..... Gregorian
Sanctuary Choir.
Messe Solennelle, Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus ..... Gounod
(St. Cecilia) Benedictus Agnus Dei
Church Choir
Graduale, "Haec Dies" ....Gregorian
Sanctuary Choir.
Veni Creator .....Handel
Edward McNulty
Offertory, "Alleluia" .....Berge
Church choir
Communion, Regina Coeli ....Novello
Recessional hymn, Alleluia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise.....Mazzinger
Sanctuary Choir.
Postlude, "Unfold, Ye Portals..Gounod (from the Redemption)
Church choir
Organ, Gloria .....Hayden

Soloists in mass: Mrs. Mary Monroe Mooney, soprano; Miss Bessie Finnigan, contralto; Mr. John McMahon, tenor; Mr. George Kirwin, bass.

Vesper Service, 6.30 p. m.

Organ prelude (a) Intermezzo
J. S. Camp Op. 3
(b) Andantino
E. Lemare
(c) Triumphal March
A. M. Shuey
Processional hymn, The Resurrection of Jesus .....Mazzinger
Regina Coeli .....Novello
Sanctuary Choir.
"Alleluia" ..... Berge
Church choir
Soloists: Mrs. Mooney, Miss Finnigan, John McMahon, George Kirwin.
Trio, "Ave Verum .....Mercadante
Mrs. Mooney, John McMahon, George Kerwin
Tantum Ergo ..... Kreutler
Church choir
Adoramus in Aternum.....Gregorian
Laudate Dominum.....Gregorian
Recessional hymn, Alleluia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise.....Mazzinger
Sanctuary choir
Postlude, Unfold, Ye Portals..Gounod (from The Redemption)
Church choir
Organ, Fanfra March.....R. Diggle
Church choir of 50 voices, assisted by sanctuary choir of 65 voices. Organist and director John J. Kelty.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Solemn High Mass at 11 a. m.
Processional, Oh Wonderful Easter Morning
Sanctuary choir.
Vidi Aquam .....Witzka
Church choir.
Introit, Resurrexi ..... Tozer
Quartet
Mass ..... Kalliwoda
Church choir
Graduale, Haec Dies .....Tozer
Quartet
Offertory, Terra Tremuit.....Tozer
Quartet
Motet, Victimae Paschali....Bordonel
Church choir
Communion, Pascha Nostra.....Tozer
Quartet
Recessional, Angel Clad in Snowy White
Sanctuary choir
Master John O'Brien, soloist.

Vespers at 6.30 p. m.
Sanctuary choir
A chorus of 60 voices and the following soloists: Mrs. F. P. McCartin, Miss Kittie McCartin, sopranos; Miss Katherine McCaffery, Miss Mary Mack, altos Mr. John Dalton, Mr. George F. Lynch, tenors; Mr. Walter Mack, Mr William Gookin and Mr D F Martin, basses. Mrs. H. F. Walker, organist; Joseph P. Courtney, director.

ST. MARGARET'S

High Mass, 10.45 A. M.
Organ prelude—Alleluia .....Rockwell
Vidi Aquam ..... Gregorian
Kyrie—Mass in F .....Rosewig
Gloria—Mass in F .....Rosewig
Credo—Mass in F .....Rosewig
Offertory—Ave Maria ...Chas. Gounod
Miss Katherine V. Hennessy
Sanctus ..... Rosewig
Benedictus ..... Rosewig
Agnus Dei ..... Rosewig
Organ Postlude—Triumphal March, Verdi

Masses at St. Margaret's on Easter at 6, 7.30, 9 and 10.15 o'clock.

Vesper Program, 7.30 P. M.

The solos in the mass and at vespers will be sustained by Miss Katherine V. Hennessy, soprano; Miss Etta M. Hennessy, contralto; Mr. Cornelius F. Calnan, tenor; Mr. Frank P. McCarthy, basso; assisted by Miss Vera Moody, Miss Mabel Haggerty, Mr. William J. Burns, Mr. Henry Driscoll and an augmented chorus. John F. McGlinchey, organist and director.

NOTRE DAME DE LOURDES

10.30 a. m.
Vidi Aquam .....Gregorian
Int. Resurrexi .....Gregorian
Kyrie, Sacred Heart.....C. Gounod
Gloria, Sacred Heart.....C. Gounod
Graduale, Haec Dies.....Gregorian
Alleluia ..... Gregorian
Sermon
Credo, Sacred Heart.....C. Gounod
Offertory
Hosanna .....Jules Granier
Tenor solo, Edward Gaudette
O Jesu me,
Quartet: Miss Irene Parthenais, soprano; Mrs. Cora Provencher, alto; Mr. Edward Gaudette, tenor; Mr. H. A. Radcot, basso.
Soprano solo and duet with tenor, Miss J. Parthenais and Edw. Gaudette.
O Jesu Me,
Grand chorus
Sanctus, Sacred Heart.....C. Gounod
Angus, Sacred Heart.....C. Gounod
Communion, Pascha N.....Gregorian
Vespers 6.30 p. m.

ST. JOSEPH'S

Solemn High Mass at 10.30 a. m.
Processional—O Filii et Filiae.
Organ ..... Edouard Batiste
Vidi Aquam .....Gregorian
Introit, Resurrexi ..... Gounod
Kyrie ..... Gounod
Gloria .....
Offertory:
Haec Dies ..... Kalliwoda
Credo .....
Soloist, Achille Lavallee.
Sanctus ..... Gounod
Benedictus ..... Gounod
Soloists—Eveline Benoit, Alice Bonin, Stella Latour, Eva Lussier, E. J. Larochelle, Telesphore Malo, Ernest J. Dupont, Alfred Ducharme.
Agnus Dei ..... Gounod
Recessional—Marche de Paques, G. Meikel

Solemn Vespers at 6.30 p. m.
Processional—Andante Cantabile,
Organ
Charles M. Widor
Psalms ..... Gregorian
Organ
Recessional—Grand Chorus ..J. Grison
Organ
Telesphore Malo, director; Mrs. J. A. Bernard, organist.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

There will be special music at all services of St. Andrew's church, North Billerica Easter Sunday, and the following numbers will be given:

High mass 10 a. m., Rev. David J. Murphy, pastor.
Prelude ..... Le Blanc
Chanson Matinale .....Becker
Organ
Mass of the Good Shepherd
Rev. J. E. Turner, O. S. B.
(Kyrie, Gloria, Credo and Sanctus)
Agnus Dei .....Hummel
Offertory, O Filii et Filiae.....Bach
Miss Theresa Kirby
Postlude ..... Mozart
Organ
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament 3 p. m.
O Salutaris .....Rosewig
Mr. Charles E. Fairbrother
Regina Coeli .....Hamma
Tantum Ergo .....Rossaire
Choir
Adoramus, Laudate Dominum, VIII Tone.
Choir
Soloists, soprano, Miss Theresa Kirby; alto, Mrs. Henry O'Brien; tenor, Charles E. Fairbrother; bass, John T. Fairbrother. Organist, Miss Marietta Hoar.

ST. JOHN'S, NO. CHELMSFORD

Processional.
Prayer from Der Freischutz....Weber
Voluntary ..... Battmann
Vidi Aquam .....Gregorian
Graduale.
Regina Ex Progenie .....Witzka
Kyrie ..... St. John
Introit ..... St. John
Gloria ..... St. John
Credo ..... St. John
Offertory ..... St. John
Ave Maria .....Rosewig
Mr. Henry Driscoll.
Sanctus ..... Guardian Angels
Benedictus ..... Guardian Angels
Agnus Dei .....Guardian Angels
Communion.
Regina Coeli .....Beethoven
Soprano solo,
Clara McCoy
Recessional:
Today He's Risen.
Soloists: Clara McCoy, soprano; Mary McCoy, alto; Henry Driscoll, baritone; John Green and John McQuade, bass; Gertrude M. Quigley, organist.

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Service 10.30.
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BY GWEN SEARS

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MRS. RAY'S LOW COST MENUS

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SUNDAY

Breakfast—Bananas—Baked Sausage—Baked Potatoes—Spider Corn Bread—Coffee.

Dinner—Mushroom Soup—Roast Beef with Yorkshire Muffins—Boiled Sweet Potatoes—String Beans—Stuffed Apple Salad—Madeira Pudding.

Supper—Codfish Wiggle—Pear Sauce—Cream Puffs—Cocoa.

Breakfast

SPIDER CORN BREAD—Cream two eggs with two tablespoons of sugar. Add two cups of milk, a cup and a half of corn meal and a quarter of a cup of milk, but do not stir. Bake half an hour. When done it should be like custard on top.

Dinner

MUSHROOM SOUP—Boil three cups of milk with one cup of water and thicken with a tablespoon of flour. Add half a can of chopped mushrooms and boil one minute longer.

YORKSHIRE MUFFINS—Mix two cups of flour with three eggs and a cup and three-quarters of milk. Half an hour before the roast beef is done turn into the pan with roast and bake.

STUFFED APPLE SALAD—Pare and core the apples, cut in thick slices and fill with chopped dates and nuts.

MADEIRA PUDDING — Chop fine half a pound of suet, mix with two cups of bread crumbs, half a cup of sugar, the same of flour, two eggs, and two glasses of sherry. Boil hard four hours and serve with a sauce made by blending equal parts of butter and sugar and adding a little sherry.

Supper

CODFISH WIGGLE—Freshen a cup of codfish and boil one minute. Add two cups of milk, a tablespoon of butter, and the same of flour. Boil one minute and then add half a can of peas and let all come to a boil.

MONDAY

Breakfast—Cream of Wheat with Dates—Baked Eggs—Toast—Coffee.

Luncheon — Chicken Stew—Swiss Fondu—Toast—Pear Sauce—Tea.

Dinner—Spanish Soup — Boston Oyster Pie—Fried Celery—Parker House Rolls — Fruit Salad — Mince Pie and cheese

Breakfast

BAKED EGGS—Separate as many eggs as you desire to serve, saving yolks whole. Four whites of six eggs add one even teaspoon baking powder and beat dry. Butter gem pans or any moulds, divide the white mixture to correspond to the number of yolks. Put the white part in the molds, then drop the yolks (whole) in center of white, sprinkle with salt and pepper, dot with bits of butter and bake brown.

Luncheon

CHICKEN STEW—Cut all the meat from the chicken and cover the bones with cold water. Add one onion and simmer two hours. Then strain, return to the fire, add the meat, season, and serve without straining.

SWISS FONDU—Cut into small and thin slices half pound of Swiss cheese. Place in pan half cup of milk, a teaspoon of Worcestershire sauce and the cheese. Stir until the cheese is melted and then add one beaten egg, whip half a minute, and serve on thin strips of buttered toast.

Dinner

SPANISH SOUP—Chop enough red and green peppers to make three tablspoons. Melt two tablespoons of butter and the same of flour, when smooth and the peppers and stir five minutes. Then add three cups of water (or soup stock), two cups of tomatoes. Cover and boil twenty minutes. Strain and add half a cup of boiled macaroni.

BOSTON OYSTER PIE—Boil three large potatoes and slice when done. Boil one minute one quart of oysters in their own liquor, then place a layer of the sliced potatoes and butter. Continue until the dish is full and pour over the oyster broth and a little melted butter. Cover with a rich pie crust and bake in a moderate oven three-quarters of an hour.

FRIED CELERY—Mix two cups of flour, two teaspoons of baking powder and a cup and a half of milk, two eggs a tablespoon of butter, and half a teaspoon of salt. Cut the celery in pieces four inches long and boil 20 minutes. Dip in the batter and fry in deep, boiling fat.

TUESDAY

Breakfast—Oranges — Old Fashioned Omelet—Re-heated Rolls—Coffee.

Luncheon—Mexican Rabbit—Toast—Stewed Figs—Cocoa—Hermits.

Dinner — Puree of Carrots—Baked Veal Chops—Baked Sweet Potatoes—Fried Bananas — Lettuce with Delmonico Dressing—German Prune Pudding.

Breakfast

OLD FASHIONED OMELET — Beat thee eggs, add three tablespoons of milk, a teaspoon of cornstarch, and a little salt. Butter a frying pan and, when hot, turn in enough of the mixture to well cover the bottom. When brown, fold and lay on a hot platter. Continue until the mixture is all used. Serve piping hot with a tablespoon of melted butter poured over all.

Luncheon

MEXICAN RABBIT—Slice one onion and fry until brown in a little butter. Pour in a can of tomatoes, season, boil ten minutes, and add two eggs well beaten. Serve on squares of buttered toast.

HERMITS—Mix a cup and a half of sugar, a cup of shortening, two eggs, a cup of chopped raisins, a teaspoon of soda dissolved in half a cup of water and flour enough to roll. Cut with a small cookie cutter and bake.

Dinner

PUREE OF CARROTS—Fry brown in butter one cup of chopped raw carrots. Add water to cover, simmer until soft, add six cups of stock and thicken with two beaten eggs. Serve at once.

FRIED BANANAS—Peel and cut in half lengthwise, fry in butter until brown, turn and fry on the other side. Before serving, add a little lemon juice.

DELMONICO DRESSING—Chop fine, one hard boiled egg, and mix with a teaspoon each of tomato catsup and Worcestershire sauce. Then add a tablespoon of chopped red peppers and two tablespoons each of oil and tarragon vinegar.

GERMAN PRUNE PUDDING—Boil and mash prunes enough to make a cup, add half a cup of sugar, a quarter of a teaspoon of cinnamon, the juice of half a lemon and a teaspoon of grated lemon rind. Make a biscuit dough a little richer than for biscuits, roll out, place in a baking pan, cover with the prune mixture and bake. Serve cold with cream.

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast—Grapefruit— Tripe— Potato Chips—Buckwheat Griddle Cakes—Coffee.

Luncheon—Egg Salad, Boiled Dressing—Bread and Butter—Apple Sauce—Cocoa.

Dinner—Pea Soup—Broiled Steak Potatoes Stuffed With Cheese—Buttered Beets—Lima Bean Salad—Orange Short Cake.

Breakfast

BUCKWHEAT GRIDDLE CAKES:—Mix two cups of buckwheat flour with two cups of milk, and two teaspoons each of sugar and baking powder. Bake in small cakes on a hot well-greased griddle.

Luncheon

EGG SALAD:—Cut hard boiled eggs in quarters and serve on crisp lettuce with a boiled dressing. For the dressing mix in the following order: A tablespoon of sugar, a tablespoon of salad oil, a teaspoon of dry mustard, the same of cornstarch. Add salt and pepper. Stir until smooth. Add three-fourths of a cup of salad oil, one-third of a cup of tarragon vinegar, three tablespoons of common vinegar and the beaten yolks of three eggs. Boil until thick, stirring all the time.

Dinner

POTATOES STUFFED WITH CHEESE:—Bake the potatoes until soft, cut in half scoop out the inside, mash, add butter, a little milk, a cup of grated cheese, and refill the skins. Sprinkle the top with grated cheese and return to the oven to brown.

LIMA BEAN SALAD:—Chill two cups of cooked beans, add a tablespoon of prepared horseradish, and seasoning. Serve on lettuce with a French dressing.

ORANGE SHORTCAKE:—Cream a tablespoon each of lard and butter with four cups of flour, two teaspoons of baking powder and a little salt. Bake in a round tin and, when done, cut in half, spread with plenty of butter and sliced oranges and sprinkle with sugar.

THURSDAY

Breakfast—Baked Apples — Beet Hash—Graham Gems—Coffee.

Luncheon—Sardine Rabbit—Re-heated Graham Gems—Cake—Cocoa.

Dinner—Rice Soup—Roast Pork—Potato Slicks—Parsnip Cakes—Cold Slaw—Date Cake—Cheese—Coffee.

Breakfast

BEET HASH:—Boil thirty minutes all the pieces of steak left, add an equal amount of potatoes and half a cup of beets. Chop fine, and fry brown in butter.

GRAHAM GEMS:—Mix two cups of sour milk, three tablespoons of molasses, two teaspoons of soda, two-thirds of a cup of flour, and two cups of graham flour. Bake in gem pans in a quick oven.

Luncheon

SARDINE RABBIT:—Melt one cup of cheese, add a little butter, half a cup of milk, and one beaten egg. Stir into this a can of sardines freed of skin and bones. Cook one minute and serve on crisp crackers.

Dinner

RICE SOUP:—Cook a cup of rice four hours in two quarts of water. Strain and serve with a teaspoon of rice in each cup.

POTATO STICKS:—Pare raw potatoes and slice in thin strips lengthwise. Lay in cold water half an hour, drain and fry in deep boiling fat.

PARSNIP CAKES:—Cook in salted water forty-five minutes, pare and mash. Add butter, pepper and salt, and form into small flat cakes. Roll in flour and fry in butter.

DATE CAKE:—Mix one cup of sugar the same of sour milk, two cups of flour, two tablespoons of butter, and two cups of chopped and pitted dates. Bake one hour in a slow oven.

FRIDAY

Breakfast—Sliced Bananas, Lemon Juice—Boiled Eggs—Fried Wheatena—Buttered Toast—Coffee.

Luncheon — Crab Meat, Tomato—Daraway Bread—Canned Strawberries—Cake—Tea.

Dinner — Clam Bisque—Fried Cod, Tartar Sauce—Mashed Potatoes—Creamed Onions—Prune and Nut Salad—Lemon Meringue Pie.

Breakfast

FRIED WHEATENA—Boil ten minutes a cup of wheatena in six cups of boiling water. Turn into a wetted mold to harden. Cut in slices and fry brown. Serve with honey.

Luncheon

CRAB MEAT WITH TOMATO—Mix a can of crab meat with a cup of bread crumbs, a cup of tomatoes, the garted rind of a lemon, the juice of one lemon, and a glass of sherry. Turn into a dish and bake 15 minutes.

CARAWAY BREAD—Scald two cups of milk and add two tablespoons each of butter and sugar. When lukewarm add a yeast cake dissolved in a cup of warm water, two tablespoons of caraway seeds, and six cups of rye flour. Let rise to twice its bulk, shape in loaves, let rise again, and bake.

Dinner

CLAM BISQUE—Boil a quart of milk with three slices of onion one hour. Cream a tablespoon of butter, add flour, stir until smooth, add to the milk and boil. Chop a quart of clams, bring to a quick boil and add to the milk. Serve at once with a tablespoon of whipped cream on top of each cup.

CREAMED ONIONS—Cover with cold water and boil until tender. Drain and pour over a sauce made by blending a tablespoon of butter and flour added to two cups of milk. Boil until thick. Cook the onions in the milk one minute.

PRUNE AND NUT SALAD—Fill cooked prunes and fill with chopped nuts. Serve on lettuce with a French dressing.

LEMON MERINGUE PIE—Make the pie crust from a cup and a half of flour, big half cup of lard, and a small cup of ice water. Roll and bake. Fill with this mixture: One cup of sugar, a heaping dessert spoon of dry cornstarch, a cup of water, juice of two lemons, the grated rind of one and the yolks of three eggs. Boil until it thickens. Pour into the baked crust, beat the whites stiff, drop by spoonfuls, and brown in the oven.

SATURDAY

Breakfast—Oranges—Broiled Bacon—Fried Potatoes—Eggless Muffins—Coffee.

Luncheon — Corn Fritters—Cheese Toast—Sauce—Tea.

Dinner—Quick Potato Soup—Cold Roast Pork—Whipped Potato—Turnip—Maryland Salad—Cranberry Pie.

Breakfast

EGGLESS MUFFINS—Mix two cups of flour with two teaspoons of baking powder, three teaspoons of sugar, and one cup of milk. Bake in a quick oven.

Luncheon

CORN FRITTERS—Mix two cups of corn with half a cup of milk, half a cup of flour, one egg, a tablespoon of melted butter and a teaspoon and a half of baking powder. Drop in boiling fat by small spoonfuls.

CHEESE TOAST—Mix a cup of cheese with a tablespoon of butter, and a teaspoon of dry mustard. Spread on buttered toast and place in the oven until the cheese melts.

Dinner

QUICK POTATO SOUP—Cut enough raw potatoes to make a cup and a half. Boil in a quart of milk ten minutes, season and serve.

WHIPPED POTATOES—Boil and mash, add a little milk and butter and whip five minutes with an egg beater. Pile as light as possible and dot with pieces of butter.

MARYLAND SALAD — Chop four sweet red peppers, add one cream cheese and half a cup of chopped cabbage. Pour over a dressing made from four tablespoons of olive oil, two of vinegar and one of chili sauce.

CRANBERRY PIE—Boil until soft two cups of cranberries, a cup of sugar and one cup of water. Line a pie plate with a rich pie crust, add the cranberries, cut strips of crust and lay on top to form small squares. Bake in a moderate oven.

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WITNESSED SURRENDER OF LEE

Capt. Walton of Lowell Attended Celebration Last Evening

He Tells of the Incidents Leading Up to the Surrender

CAPTAIN AMERICA WALTON

Post 120 hall on Merrimack street was the scene of one of the most impressive patriotic celebrations in its history, when representatives of G. A. R. organizations in this city and vicinity assembled to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the surrender of Gen. Lee to Gen. Grant in April, 1865. The observance was conducted by James A. Garfield Relief Corps, but there were present large delegations of Sons of Veterans, Spanish War Veterans and every G. A. R. organization in the city as well as relief corps and auxiliaries.

America Walton, the only Lowell surviving witness of the famous surrender of Appomatox, was present, and his description of the incidents and scenes leading up to this historic event was one of the features of the evening. Mayor Murphy also gave a patriotic address and during the course of his remarks announced himself in favor of the proposed Fourth of July celebration.

"Fifty Years of Progress" was the subject of Mrs. Elizabeth Robbins Perry, secretary of the National Association of Patriotic Instructors. Mrs. Perry gave a very inspiring address which was received with enthusiastic applause.

The other numbers in the program were: Singing, "Angel of Peace," corps; invocation, Miss Mary Shirley, chaplain; salute to the flag, corps; "Star Spangled Banner," Miss Katherine V. Hennessy; "Stars in My Country's Sky, Are Ye All There?" Mrs. Proctor; selection, Miss Katherine V. Hennessy; "Sketch of the Surrender of Appomattox," Mrs. Hallie E. Whitney.

Capt. Walton's Story

Captain America Walton of 5 Ralph street, the only veteran of the Civil war now living in this city, who witnessed the surrender of Lee at Appomattox on April 9, 1865, was interviewed by a Sun representative yesterday afternoon, when he told of his experience.

Mr. Walton was 79 years old last August, but despite his age the military bearing gained by years of service in the great struggle still remains with him, and he carries himself much more erect than many men not nearly as old. His voice is strong and his health is perfect, and there is nothing he enjoys more than to walk in the sunshine.

Captain Walton was born in a little out of the way place in Maine called Franklin Plantation, in August, 1835. When nine years old he moved with his parents to Peru, Me., where he was educated and worked until he was 21 years old. In 1856 he started out on his own hook and came to Lowell, where he secured employment at the Lowell Bleachery for which he received $1.25 a day. While working at the Bleachery he became a member of Company D, the company which was the first to march through Baltimore at the opening of the war, and which was the first to suffer loss of life by the enemy's fire. In this company were Privates Ladd and Whitney, whose deeds of heroism are fittingly recorded in the history of the war. He also joined the fire department and remembers well the big fire which destroyed the Market house, which is now occupied as the city's police headquarters. He also told of the Allen lumber yard fire in Middlesex street and of the old Brooks mill fire in Western avenue.

In May, 1861, he went to Patten, Me., and in August of the same year he enlisted with Company B of the Eighth Maine regiment. The company stayed in Patten for about a month after being formed and, before it started for the war he was made a second sergeant. Captain Walton first saw service in South Carolina, where he, together with the members of his company, were engaged in fortifying a number of islands which afterwards proved of immense value to the Northern army as defense works. After several months of this work his company was ordered to Florida, and participated in the fighting at St. Augustine. The company was at that time a part of the army under the command of General Ben Butler, and Captain Walton says that he never fought under a more considerate and courageous commander. Just about this time he was made a first sergeant.

In March, 1864, he was a second lieutenant and a few months later he was given the rank of first lieutenant. In November of the same year he was again promoted, this time to the rank of captain, a position which he held until the close of the war. These three commissions he has had framed and they are his most treasured possessions.

In the year 1865 he was engaged in the fighting at Petersburg, James River, Chapin's farm, Fair Oaks, and he commanded a skirmish company the day Lee surrendered. In the battle of Hatch's Run which is just below Richmond, he did picket duty from midnight March 29 until April 2, without a moment's sleep. After this battle his company was with the army that pursued Lee until he surrendered. The most trying part of the war, he said, came at this period when the majority of the men were nearly worn out from hunger and fatigue. In 24 hours before the surrender, he said, the army marched 50 miles, and the last five miles were made on the "double quick." On the morning of April 9, 1865, his company captured a brass cannon from the enemy, and shortly afterward Lee's surrender was witnessed.

The army then went to Richmond where he received an honorable discharge, and he went home to Maine. But, one of the most interesting and most important part of the story has been left out. In 1863, while on a furlough, Captain Walton went back to Avon, Me. where he was married and after returning at the close of the war he and his wife moved to this city. While a resident of Lowell he worked in various occupations, and was employed steadily up until 10 years ago.

Captain Walton now abhors war and says that the European struggle is downright slaughter. He hopes to see it ended within a very short time.

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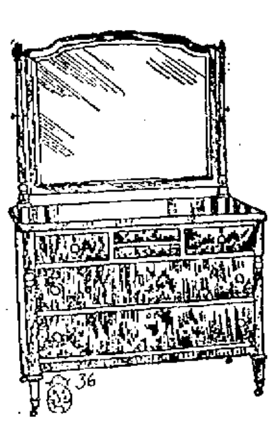

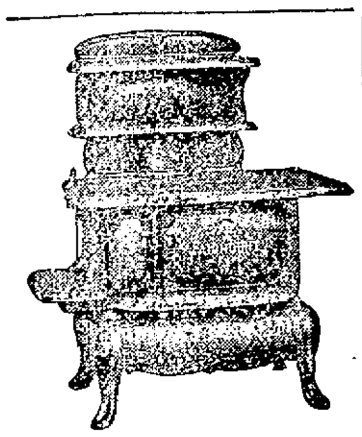

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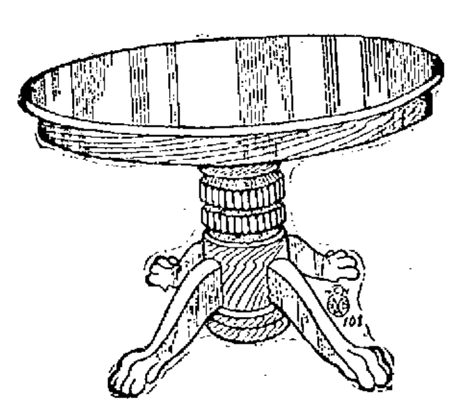

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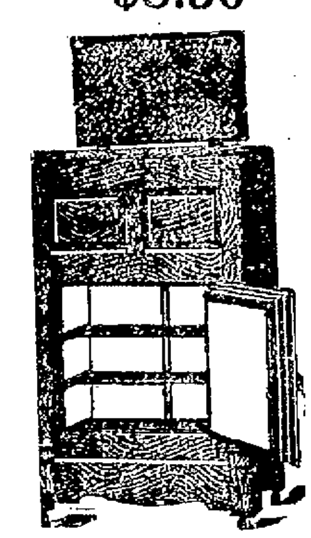

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PRESCOTT STREET

FEEBLE MINDED CLASS IS OUR CHIEF MENACE

The regular monthly meeting of the Middlesex North Pomona grange was held yesterday at the society's headquarters in Odd Fellows' hall on Bridge street. The society held both an afternoon and morning session.

The customary discussion which the grangers hold at the morning meeting was upon the topic, "Should Popular Songs be Censored Today?" and the subject brought forth many brilliant and instructive points. In fact the topic was so novel that the noon hour had been reached and passed before the members realized that a delicious dinner, prepared under the auspices of the Tyngsboro grange, awaited them in the hall below.

After dinner the session of the society was declared open to the public. The Hon. Charles E. Ward, a former state senator, who is at present a member of the state insanity board, featured the afternoon session with an address upon "The Wards of the State."

Mr. Ward's address proved intensely interesting. His position as a member of the state insanity board has given him an unexcelled opportunity to study intelligently the cause and effect of the state's most threatening wards, the feeble minded, the idiot and the insane. Mr. Ward said in part:

"The state of Massachusetts at present has 13 institutions for the care of the feeble minded, and the insane, not including the state farm at Bridgewater and state infirmary at Tewksbury.

"In these 13 institutions there are at present 15,560 inmates who are mentally unfitted to associate with their fellows. No less than 1690 additional inmates who are mentally lacking are to be found in the state farms and at the Tewksbury infirmary.

"We have appropriations now which amount to $3,500,000 for the upkeep of these institutions and for the care of their inmates. We are asking this year for an additional appropriations of $1,200,000 for new buildings. These figures are quoted simply to give you an idea of the stupendous task which is thrust upon the state from this source."

The speaker then went on to give instances of the now accepted belief that the feeble-minded person of today is usually the offspring of the feeble-minded person of yesterday. "The most dangerous person to the welfare of our commonwealth today," said he, "is not the drunkard nor the insane nor even the criminal, but the feeble-minded—the person whose mentality has not developed with the attainment of manhood and womanhood."

Mr. Ward insisted urgently that the one way in which to prevent the passing down from generation to generation the deficient mentality of the feeble-minded was the most [illegible] of the [illegible]. His remarks [illegible] a deep impression upon his [illegible].

During the afternoon the [illegible] Grange entertained with a [illegible] program while several pleasing [illegible] were given by Miss [illegible] Spaulding of Billerica.

WAS GIVEN QUIET BURIAL

FUNERAL OF BARON ROTHSCHILD TOOK PLACE IN LONDON THIS AFTERNOON

LONDON, April 2.—In accordance with his request, Baron Rothschild was buried quietly shortly after noon today at the Willesden Jewish cemetery.

Brief services were held at the late residence of the baron in Piccadilly, only the family and close friends being present. Outside the house there gathered a crowd of perhaps [illegible] among which were many persons [illegible] the Jewish community in the East End.

The body was taken from the house in a closed hearse, followed by motor cars containing the baron's two sons, Lionel Walter and Charles, his brother Leopold, his son-in-law, Captain Olive Behrens and his nephews, Evelyn and Anthony. Earl Rosebery, a relative by marriage, also was among the mourners.

As the funeral car passed, the crowds bared their heads.

CUT OFF THE CURRENT

WOOD CHOPPERS DID A VERY EFFECTIVE JOB ON MASS. N. E. RAILWAY

HAVERHILL, April 2.—Woodchoppers in the town of North Hampton, N. H., felled a tree across the high tension wires of the Massachusetts Northeastern Electric railways this morning, cutting off the power which operates cars between half a dozen cities and twice as many towns in northeastern Massachusetts and southern New Hampshire and depriving thousands of people of their only means of transportation. The tie-up continued for three hours and affected lines operated between the cities of Portsmouth, N. H., and Newburyport, Haverhill, Lawrence, Lowell and Nashua, N. H.

Three Hours' Delay in Lowell

Between 7.50 and 10.50 o'clock this morning the electric cars running from Haverhill to Lowell on the Canobie lake line did not connect with the Merrimack street cars of the Bay State Street railway. However, the local cars made their usual trips as far as the turn-out on Mammoth road.

PETITIONS DISMISSED

BOSTON, April 2.—The petitions of Timothy J. O'Brien and Michael J. Moynihan for a mandamus to compel James W. Cadogan, director of public safety at Lawrence, to restore them to their former ranks of sergeants of police, were dismissed by the supreme court today.

Believing that there were too many sergeants in the departments, Cadogan reduced the officers to the rank of patrolmen. The petitioners claimed that as they were civil service appointees they could not be removed without a hearing. The court holds that Cadogan's action was legal as the petitioners did not ask to controvert the reasons given for their reduction.

THE PRESIDENT ACCEPTS

WASHINGTON, April 2.—President Wilson today accepted an invitation to attend Decoration day exercises at Arlington National cemetery, May 30. He probably will speak at the invitation of the Grand Army of the Republic.

HUNTING FOR HUNTER

NEW YORK, April 2.—George E. Hunter, bookkeeper for the Progress club of Newark, N. J., is missing, and yesterday a shortage of $1500 in his accounts was [illegible]. Hunter disappeared a Saturday after leaving his home [illegible] carrying a [illegible] to his wife [illegible] to [illegible] have [illegible] week [illegible] its finances [illegible] last night [illegible] ing funds [illegible] room [illegible] ried a widow [illegible] and his bride [illegible].

BRITISH CRUISER SAILED

MONTEVIDEO [illegible] cruiser Glasgow [illegible] port [illegible] today.

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NO. CHELMSFORD NEWS

Notes of the Activities in and Around Village—Mills, Schools and the Churches

Easter will be joyously observed in the churches of North Chelmsford on Sunday by appropriate services in the morning and evening and with elaborate musical programs.

A high mass will be celebrated at St. John's church at 9.30 by Rev. Edmund Schofield, and the venerable pastor will also probably preach the sermon of the day. The musical program this year which is of unusual excellence was prepared by the efficient organist of the church, Miss Gertrude M. Quigley.

At the Congregational church, services will be held in the morning at the regular hour, and the pastor, Rev. Franklin Reeves, will preach the sermon. The choir will sing the anthems, "Lift Up Your Heads, Ye Gates," and "Risen: A Glorious King," and at the offertory, Mrs. Herbert Hadley, the soprano soloist of the church, will render "Alleluia."

In the evening the Easter cantata, "Love Triumphant" will be given and there will be music by the combined choirs assisted by Mrs. Alice Livingston Gage, reader.

St. Alban's Mission

The customary Easter services will be held at St. Alban's mission in the morning and there will be special music by the choir. Tonight at 8 o'clock there will be Good Friday services at the mission.

St. John's T. A. Society

The members of St. John's T. A. society have decided to have a baseball team, and James Walker, treasurer of the society, is elected manager. Manager Walker was given permission to sign up outside players and indications point to a strong aggregation representing the society. New uniforms will be purchased for the team, and judging from the enthusiasm shown by the members the team will have [illegible] backing.

The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of St. John's T. A. society has made arrangements for the holding of a social function in the near future.

Boy Scouts

The Boy Scouts are not letting any grass grow under their feet and are busy formulating plans for an active summer season. The regular camp will be held either in July or August. "Hikes" will be taken by the members every Saturday by the troop under the direction of Scoutmaster James E. [illegible].

The troop has received a report of the proceeds derived by the show held at the town hall last Friday night, which showed that everything had turned out as planned. This money will probably be used towards meeting the expenses of the annual "Gala Day" which will be held in a few months.

Schools

The high and grammar schools were closed down on Monday of this week for the Easter vacation. The pupils of the high school will return to school on Monday, but the grammar schools will not open until a week later. Rehearsals for the senior show, "The Strenuous Life," are being held nightly and the date set for the production will be announced later.

Church Societies

The Church Aid society of the Congregational church will present "The Country Doctor" at the town hall next Thursday and Friday. Rehearsals for the production have been going on for some time past under the direction of Mrs. D. Frank Small, and indications point to the performances being very successful.

The Dux Christus club will meet next Tuesday afternoon in the vestry of the church, and Mrs. Franklin Reeves will preside. Mrs. Frank Ingalls will be the hostess and Mrs. Sarah Swan Griffin will read a paper on "Insects." Mrs. Charles Crowell will also speak.

The Ladies' Missionary society meets next Friday afternoon at the home of Miss Elizabeth J. Draper in Princeton street, and Mrs. William Blakeslee and Miss Abbie Lovell will be the speakers. There will also be sacred music on the victrola.

The next meeting of the Church Aid society will be held the 22nd of this month.

Rev. Fr. McCoy of the Tewksbury novitiate preached the sermon at St. John's church last Sunday morning.

Mrs. Arthur H. Davis, cousin of Mrs. H. Sumner Queen and wife of the manager of the Nashua theatre, is visiting in Washington.

Mrs. Chester H. Queen of Tyngsboro, Mrs. R. B. Sherburne, Mrs. E. E. Queen, Mrs. Etta Higgins, Mrs. A. A. Parkhurst and Mrs James H. Woodward and son, Ralph, spent Thursday with their uncle, H S Queen.

Miss Irene Archer of Farmingville is visiting at the home of her brother, Arthur Archer, in Gay street.

Miss Myrtle M. Daniels is spending her Easter vacation at the home of her aunt, Mrs Herbert L. Verge of Lynn.

Mrs. Mary S. McBurnie of Nova Scotia is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred E. Daniels.

Mrs. J. Marinel has sold her home in Dunstable road and will reside in the new building at Stevens corner.

Clarence Bason is erecting a new residence at Wood's corner.

Mrs. O. McNally and son, James, will leave some time this month for California.

Credit for the decorations of the repository at St. John's church is due to the young ladies of the parish and to Reggie McAdoo who acted as a capable assistant.

Henry Duffy has accepted a position with Clem Gaudette of Lowell.

George Jones has taken up his new residence at Westford.

Miss Annie Riney, formerly of the J. L. Chalifoux confectionery department has accepted a position as demonstrator for the Sunshine Biscuit Co.

George Sheppard, janitor of St. Alban's mission, is quite ill with an attack of indigestion.

Arthur Short, formerly employed as a woolsorter at the Silesia mills, has taken up a new position in Methuen, Mass.

William Tobin is cutting a street through from Middlesex street to Princeton.

James Stevens, the contractor, is building a new residence in Tyngsboro road.

George Robbins left Wednesday fro

Geo. Robbins left Wednesday from New York for England. He will return to the village in a few months.

Pearl Caukins has painted his two houses in Tyngsboro road.

Mrs. William Quigley, who recently underwent an operation at St. John's hospital is convalescing rapidly.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph LeCouer last Monday night.

Mills

Mill conditions in the village remain the same and both the Silesia and G. C. Moore mills are running steadily days. The Lowell Textile Co is unusually busy and the machine plant in the village is working to capacity.

Camps

The camps on both sides of the Merrimack river are opening up and soon hundreds of canoes loaded down with pleasure seekers will be seen wending their course up and down the beautiful waterway. Most every night in the week, the camps are inhabited and on Sundays the village is alive with young people's voices. This is the surest sign of approaching summer which is always profitable to the storekeepers of the village, who furnish most of the supplies to the campers.

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THEY DO SAY

That some of the Easter lilies look sick.

That Lieut. Duncan expected his promotion.

That Gerald "sold out to Raymond" Friday night.

That the local firemen will soon start drilling.

That the labor leaders will be very active this month.

That another epidemic of marriages is due next week.

That city hall is away off on the meaning of economy.

That there are worse places than a submarine in a storm.

That everybody is wondering who the new sergeant will be.

That even the undertaker may be sincere in wishing you well.

That one sees nearly everybody but police in the new police auto.

That Capt. Walton still retains his youthful step despite his 79 years.

That the appointment of Lieut. Duncan meets with approval everywhere.

That "Charlie" learned something about hydrants during the past week.

WHOOPING COUGH

Well—everyone knows the effect of Pine Forests on Coughs. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a remedy which brings quick relief for Whooping Cough, loosens the mucous, soothes the lining of the throat and lungs, and makes the coughing spells less severe. A family with growing children should not be without it. Keep it handy for all Coughs and Colds. 25c at your Druggist.

Electric Bitters a Spring Tonic.

That the ministers' conference at city hall was a most interesting one.

That the members of the fair sex are hoping for a good day tomorrow.

That once again we shall see the woman of 60 who sports a girlish hat.

That chewing gum and chewing tobacco are almost equally undesirable.

That Gay street in North Chelmsford may be paved within the next few years.

That Joe is again visiting his friend J. P., who he has not seen for a long time.

That many of the young men of the city enjoyed "visiting" Thursday night.

That Mary C. makes a very capable director for the Sacred Heart parish play.

That English grammar received another jolt from city hall during the week.

That Lowell people are to attend the brilliant "Celtic" ball in Lawrence, April 9.

That the oil cart and car sprinklers will be welcomed by all residents of this city.

That collectors may come and collectors may go, but Georgie goes on forever.

That Albert had a pretty hard time digesting his Welsh "rabbit" the other night.

That judges may come and judges may go, but the "Dutch verdict" goes on forever.

That a $3000 celebration would be as big a waste as certain salaries paid to high officials.

That the smiling countenance of Perry Thompson is about to dawn on the political horizon.

That the new quarters of the Leather Workers' union present a very attractive appearance.

That the small boys in No. Chelmsford have heard the crack of the bat 'way down in Dixie.

That automobile accidents will occur until chauffeurs are trained to go slow and use their judgment.

That the discussion over the recent postoffice break at North Chelmsford has completely died out.

That George Leach is revamping a lot of venerable jokes for the coming banquet of the Y. M. C. I.

That the talented Sunday school teachers of the Sacred Heart church are rehearsing for their play.

That the Lowell board of trade essay contest will be a yearly contest among the school children.

That Postmaster Neil Mahoney of North Billerica will lead the march at the Mathews' Easter Monday ball.

That the mayor's second term boosters should leave one of those petitions in the street railway men's lobby.

That it is as hard to fool school children with explanations why the speech is bad as it is to fool adults.

That Edmond Gill, the genial messenger at the state house objects to being called an amateur billiard player.

That while needy men want work the city should not spend its money in the entertainment of out-of-town militiamen.

That according to the members of the South Lowell improvement association, South Lowell will remain on the map.

That over 3000 married men followed the retreat exercises at St. Joseph's and St. Jean Baptiste churches this week.

That Con Cronin is thinking about getting the old basketball stars together for a series with the Centralville A. C.

That the dancing craze has all but died out, to the regret of those to whom it gave a certain rejuvenation.

That nowadays before a girl falls in love, she finds out whether it is financially worth while.

That the woman who marches down the aisle tomorrow with a new bonnet will not have her mind on her prayers all the time.

That Rev. Dr. Bartlett made the fur fly in fact, when he put whiskers on Inspector Bigelow and a wig on his running-mate.

That Officer Hessian couldn't find a set of whiskers to match his complexion and hence was not detailed for sleuth work.

That Park Commissioner Rountree is one of the favored few who have been given a ride in the new police department auto.

That Mayor Curley's aversion for the nude in motion pictures unfits him for attendance at anything in the nature of a Seeley dinner.

That the residents of the Oaklands are wide awake and are getting what they want, thanks to their improvement association.

That Principal Irish presented an object lesson to Mayor Murphy on the need of a new high school at the Lowell day exercises.

That the last basketball game played in this city was a revelation when brought in contrast with some of the previous games.

That perhaps the militiamen will do as the labor men did last year and forego the pleasure of a celebration on account of the city's needs.

That the militiamen will have an opportunity to get exercise at their annual maneuvers without taking extra exercise at the city's expense.

That many a dolled up girl who looks perpetually at the show windows is more closely related to the wax figure inside than she'd care to acknowledge.

That if it wasn't Easter Sunday some fine sermons might be preached tomorrow with Winnie MacBrayne's recent Fourth of July oration as a text.

That if a liquor inspector can catch three liquor dealers by means of false whiskers what may be expected of another liquor inspector if he wears a wig.

That with the coming of the warm weather the young one tries to get freckles and the other runs around to collect lotions and aids to the injured.

That Miles P. Maloney, the street railwayman found that rig in the Oaklands though the cop got the credit. Miles was exonerated, as it were.

That some of the "boys" were tipped in advance as to the disguises while others were not, and again our old friend "equal rights, etc." received a bump.

That while everybody in Centralville knew in advance that the liquor inspectors were coming, no advance information as to their visit reached Salem street.

That "Mike" Markham was very much pleased when a Sun reporter informed him his son Edwin had won the gold medal in the board of trade essay contest.

That Special Officer Clark has been assigned to further investigate that recent drowning in Hale's brook, the superintendent having previously made an investigation.

That Mayor Murphy presented his views on the Fourth of July celebration to the Ladies of the G. A. R. who as yet have not been given the right to vote for mayor.

That the strangest thing about this popular Bachelor club that is soon to run a show is that it is permitted to exist with so many eligible young men in its membership.

That the unemployed who can't get work because the city hasn't sufficient money are paraphrasing Spartans of old and are saying: "Loafing to make a Lowell holiday."

That there is something wrong with the man who tells you today that he is terribly in debt and tomorrow asks you to make plans for accompanying him to the Panama canal.

That the mayor some day will realize that when he withholds news from The Sun he is attempting to deprive thousands of citizens of a privilege which is not to be denied them.

That the mayor's decision in the Pettis case was known in Boston before it was given out in this city and there was no copy for The Sun but this paper got the copy nevertheless.

That now that the elections are over in Billerica and other neighboring towns and the enforcement of the liquor laws therein provided for, the big chief will give his undivided attention to law-enforcement in Lowell.

That Officer Jack Leighton will be missed from Merrimack square. Before becoming a traffic officer he had patrolled the Merrimack square beat for a number of years and made many friends. He was frequently called upon to use his own judgment, and his judgment never erred.

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HANDSOME NEW MODELS

Handsome model sketched is one of many equally attractive styles to be found at this price. Smart tailored, military and dress effects, in all the fashionable materials for women and misses **$22.50**

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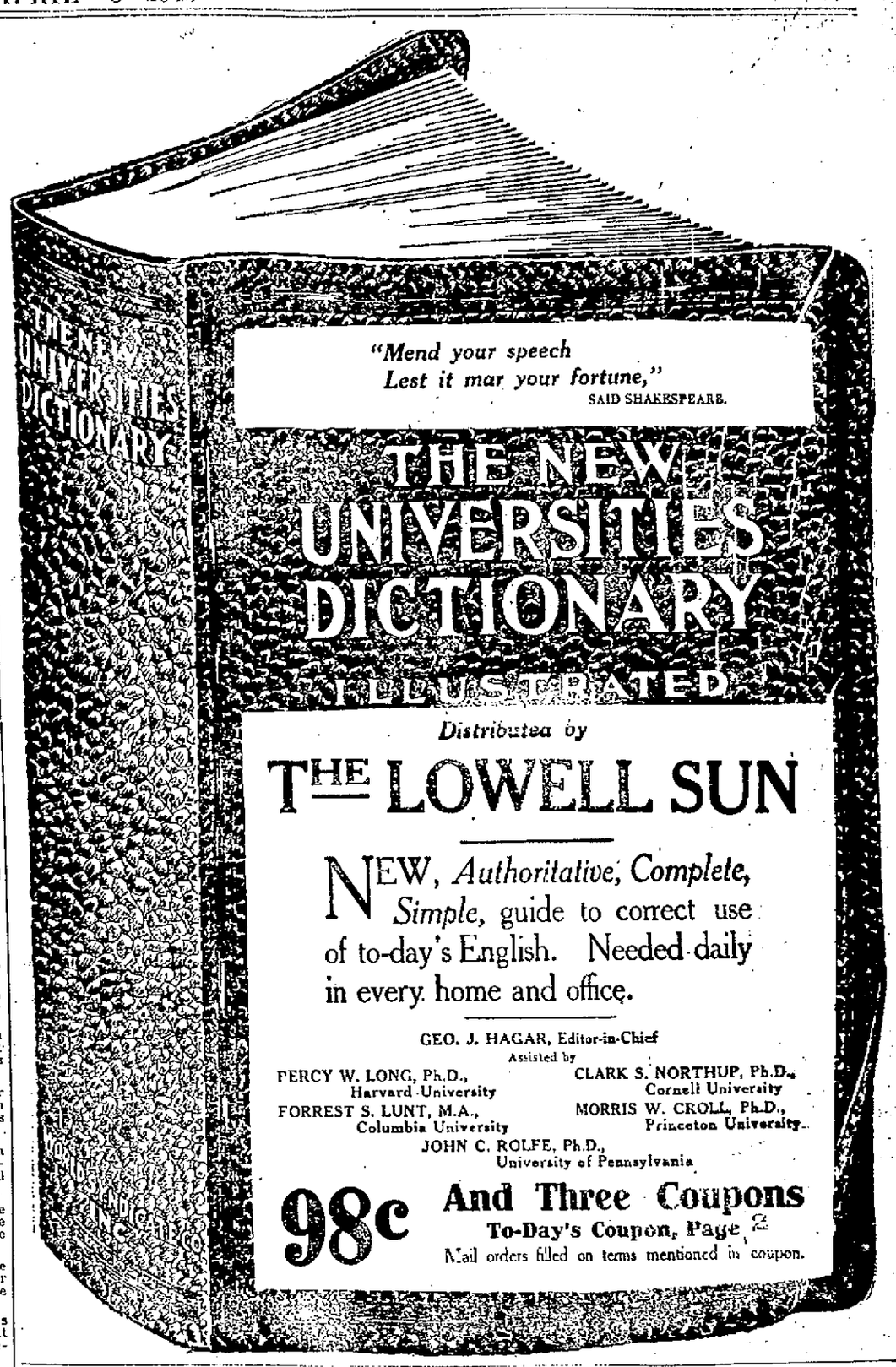

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To-Day's Coupon, Page 2

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WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

MAKING GOOD BREAD

"I wish I could make good bread," sighed Marjorie. "Father does not like bakers' bread and I seem to have no luck in my baking."

"I am right at home on that subject," responded Marie. "Madame insists on my making all her bread so I guess I must be an expert."

"Oh, tell me how, Marie," exclaimed Marjorie as she brightened up.

"Well, in the first place," began the French maid, "you must know that temperature has everything to do with successful bread making. In warm weather, or in winter, when the house is well heated, so that the average room temperature is from seventy-five to eightyfour degrees, bread may be mixed in the morning, put to rise for three hours, formed into loaves, allowed to rise for another hour, and finished early in the afternoon.

"In the spring and fall, when the furnace is out and the atmospheric heat is less than seventy-five degrees, the rising may take so long that it is best to make the sponge, or mixture containing the yeast, over night. On the other hand, bread dough which is rising should never be put too near a fire or otherwise be overheated; the bowl in which it is placed should never feel too warm to the hand.

"When bread is made with a patent mixer, all that is necessary is to follow the exact directions given by the manufacturer. A mixer saves time on the kneading, and may be utilized for more than one kind of bread. Many people however, cling to hand-kneading methods, and the directions in this article apply to those.

"Select any good high-grade patent flour and always use that kind. You will soon get used to it and know what to expect, how much liquid it takes, how long before it responds to the yeast, and how it ought to look. Use only enough flour in kneading to take the stickiness from the dough; when that has been accomplished do not add more flour at any time. The liquid should be lukewarm when the yeast goes in.

"Punching down or cutting through with a knife, after three hours' rising, is usually but not always done; this affords a chance for a second rising before the bread dough is formed into loaves. A soft dough makes a tender bread, which will keep moist longer than a stiff, floury mixture. The baking should be done in a moderate oven which is carefully watched and slacked off toward the end of the baking.

"The dough should rise during the first fifteen minutes, then begin and continue to brown for the next half-hour. If a gas oven is used, the bread may remain in it for the final quarter of an hour with both burners turned off. Biscuits and all baking-powder breads require much more heat, as quick baking is necessary for success with them."

STOP!

Don't Neglect Your Teeth Now for Fear of Pain

The cost will be actually less than the old, dreaded way. Here's a message worth reading that may save you much money and pain.

I know that there's a prejudice against the professional man who uses printers' ink, but, before you judge, READ!

I have given the people of Lowell the finest equipped dental offices in the State, with the best staff of dentists obtainable, I am asking much lower price for the best work than any other dental office and as a result I am enjoying the largest practice in the city. If I hadn't spent hundreds of dollars to save pain to my patients with the NAP-A-MINIT PROCESS and given them the best service possible, would such success come to me?

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NOTICE

NOTICE TO ABUTTERS

Office of Commissioner of Streets and Highways, Lowell, Mass., March 27, 1915.

The city is about to macadamize the following streets:

Gorham street from Lowell & Andover railroad crossing to Cosgrove street.

Chelmsford street from Victoria street to city line.

Powell street from Liberty street to Chelmsford street.

High street from East Merrimack street to Rogers street.

Rogers street from High street to Boylston street.

The city is about to pave the following streets:

Dutton street from Broadway to Fletcher street.

Dutton street from Dutton avenue to Willie street.

Elm street from Gorham street to Central street.

Hale street from Howard street to Lincoln Square.

Fletcher street from Pawtucket canal to Worthen street.

Thorndike street from Pawtucket canal to Middlesex street.

Pawtucket street from Merrimack street to Moody street.

First street from Bridge street to Read street.

East Merrimack street from High street to Nesmith street.

Branch street from Nichols street to Smith street.

In consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate the digging up of any of the streets mentioned above, for the purposes of making sewer, gas or water connections or for any other purpose whatsoever, do so at once, as under the provisions of the city ordinances, no permit will be given to disturb the surface of said streets, for a period of five years, after said improvements are completed, except as otherwise provided in the city ordinances.

Respectfully yours,
CHARLES J. MORSE
Commissioner Streets and Highways.

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THE FRUITS OF NEGLECT

Once again Lowell has been reaping unwelcome notoriety throughout Massachusetts on account of our unpardonable neglect of the demands of the state with regard to the erection of a contagious hospital. We have been long regarded in state and civic circles of health workers as criminally negligent, and local movements that are striving to bring about better conditions have been met with the accusation that Lowell is regarded all over Massachusetts as "the blot on the map." It now looks as though we will be forced to build a contagious hospital whether we wish it or not, and things are coming to a state which must be very distasteful to certain local officials on whom the responsibility for present conditions falls.

Last Thursday the annual meeting and conference of the Massachusetts Anti-Tuberculosis League was held in Boston, attended by medical and social service experts. The exercises, which were very fully reported in the Boston papers, included addresses by Dr. Allen J. McLaughlin, the famous state commissioner of health; Dr. Bowditch of Boston, president of the association; Dr. John B. Hawes, and other noted physicians and health experts. Practically every speech had some reference to Lowell, directly or indirectly. If there were any persons present unfamiliar with this city, they were justified in thinking that Lowell is a nursery of contagious disease and that our officials are absolutely indifferent to the health conditions of the city.

Dr. McLaughlin spoke more particularly on the discovery and treatment of tuberculosis in its incipient stages—an impossibility in Lowell under present conditions, but a more direct accusation was contained in parts of the address made by Dr. Hawes who referred to local conditions in most unflattering terms. According to Dr. Hawes, the balance of the cities of Massachusetts without tuberculosis hospitals have a population of 553,000, "and Lowell with a total of 106,000, heads this list."

It was in no mere spirit of empty criticism that these accusations were made against Lowell but with the consciousness that the state is about to force us to do what we have flagrantly neglected to do. The state health authorities have just sent a pointed warning to the mayor of Lowell telling him in no uncertain terms that Sept. 1 will be the limit of time allowed this city in which to comply with the state laws. As the statute which calls for the erection of a contagious hospital provides for a heavy penalty, we can no longer doubt that Lowell must either have started a contagious hospital by Sept. 1 or must be prepared to take the consequences. We have set ourselves in open defiance of the laws of the state, and the state will win. Do our commissioners doubt it?

This is an excellent time for some Lowell officials to ask themselves what they have gained by their neglect of this question. The selection of a hospital site is a rather unpopular proceeding, but it must be faced, and that soon. When the action of the previous municipal council was nullified, our officials crowed at their temporary triumph or what they considered such. They failed to see that sooner or later the matter would have to be again faced, and that they would have to meet the unpleasantness all over again. Now, they must see that their opposition to the state law was a losing game and even a political mistake. It is with very bad grace they will now be compelled to undo what they have done and select a contagious hospital site at the dictation of determined state authorities.

The ignoring of state demands has been a poor advertisement for Lowell, but there is no use crying over spilt milk. We must bear as patiently as we may the charge that we have blocked progress, that we have criminally neglected to care for many of our diseased citizens properly, that we have made a ludicrous stand against superior authority, that we have been "the blot on the map." We cannot even complain when we are quoted as an illustration of absolute neglect at meetings such as that of Boston last Thursday, but in justice to our municipal reputation we must remember that it is not the Lowell people who are to blame, but a few Lowell officials.

OUR INDUSTRIES SAY:

Listen you six million people of New England! We, the directors of your hundreds of mills and factories would have a little word with you. You know in what dark and uncertain days our industries were founded and how many years of effort it took to place them on the proud pinnacle they now hold. Well, another day of opportunity has come, which, if taken advantage of to the full, will make New England the star to which industrial and commercial America must hitch its wagons. When New England prospers, you will prosper: its interests are your interests. Listen, then, to what we ask you to do, and act upon it.

When you go to the store in a few days for some clothing, for shoes, for a set of parlor furnitur, for some kitchen utensils, for anything whatsoever, ask for a New England product. There is scarcely an article made in the world of industry which is not made in New England. Our great textile industries are famous the world over; our shoe shops supply the markets of all nations; our machine shops furnish machinery for the greatest engineering feats of modern times. Yet, we have thousands of little factories and shops that give employment to tens of thousands of your sons and daughters. These mills and factories great and small depend on public patronage for their support. You undoubtedly, earnestly hope that this patronage will grow all over the earth until all our mill wheels and belts revolve merrily, full time and overtime. You can do more than that. You can help prosperity along by purchasing New England products whenever possible.

When you spend a dollar for a New England product, you keep a dollar at home. When you spend twenty dollars for New England products, you multiply the good twenty times. Money thus kept at home is put in circulation at home. It comes back to you in wages, in the returns from your own business, in the returns you receive from the expenditure of public moneys. Be a booster of New England products by all means, but first of all, be a buyer. Help New England and New England will help you.

MORE CONFIDENCE SHOWN

The best and most significant news item published for many weeks is that the New York stock exchange has at last decided to operate without any restrictions. Following the outbreak of the war, it was compelled to close to avert possible panic and after a long period of inactivity opened with certain necessary restrictions. Now it is operating as before the war. This points to fundamental soundness in this country, for unless there was a decided spirit of optimism based on fact, the New York stock exchange would not commence unrestricted operations. Evidently the fear that Europe will dump American securities on our markets has passed.

It has also been stated in financial journals that several large foreign credits have been established in New York to facilitate the trading of foreign countries with our farmers and manufacturers. J. P. Morgan went to London on a business mission a few days ago, and within a short time it is certain that vast stores of European gold will be flowing into the coffers of this country. This does not mean only the money paid for war munitions, but for every commodity that America has for sale; the crippling of foreign sources of supply must of a necessity open many new markets to us abroad.

The steel trade is still reporting progress, and so is the copper industry. We have proof that the textile industry is booming. Our wheat and cotton situations have been satisfactorily met, and time is improving every branch of trade that felt complete or partial stagnation after the outbreak of war. The crippling of imports has destroyed the tariff arguments of opponents of the administration and the country is manifesting a general trait to look with confidence to the future. There is still considerable unemployment and suffering, but the country seems to be expecting a speedy restoration of normal conditions.

HAPPY EASTER TIME

[illegible] after the [illegible] as the storm [illegible] the [illegible]. Long ago did [illegible] happen, but every year we see it [illegible] again the heart [illegible] the [illegible] of doubt [illegible] the [illegible] spiritual [illegible]. Who [illegible] not [illegible] been [illegible] by the [illegible] of the holy women who [illegible] the early morn to the tomb [illegible] had lost their Lord and [illegible] not [illegible]

WHOOPING COUGH

Well- everyone knows the effect of Pine Forests on Coughs. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a remedy which brings quick relief for Whooping Cough, loosens the mucous, soothes the lining of the throat and lungs, and makes the coughing spells less severe. A family with growing children should not be without it. Keep it handy for all Coughs and Colds. [illegible] at your Druggist.

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death but immortality? Who is there that has not seen it all in spirit—the gaping grave, the lily paths where He talked with Magdalen and the heavenly messenger who said: "He is not here; He hath risen as He said?"

Long ago did it happen indeed, but for those of lively faith it will happen again tomorrow. We may not see the yawning grave or the brightness of the Glorified God, but in everything we will see the birth of new life that speaks of Him. In tree and twig and flower is a response to the call of life. Little blades of grass pierce the enlivened earth like soldier spears; rivulets melt their icy barriers and ring woodland chimes; all nature has heard the resurrection story and is glad. Gone are the purples of the passion, the shadows of penitential Lent, the chilling bonds of winter. It is a time of swelling song, of triumphant alleluiahs of bells and of lilies. It is the time of Easter, triumphant over pain and death, the dawn of glorious immortality.

Many have been the Easters since that wondrous one of Galilee, but never did the world need its message more than now. Pain and sorrow have written their message on myriads of hearts, and dismal is the hoary earth with the horrors of fratricidal strife. Darkness greater than that of the grave hangs like a funereal pall on the nations, and the songs of the angels of the resurrection are drowned out by the thundering of cannon. Yet, Christ is risen and hope is not dead. After the time of passion will dawn again a world Easter morn and the spirit of Christ will shine resplendent on a sadder but wiser world.

The death of Baron Rothschild removed a famous member of a famous family, members of which have had a greater part in shaping the destinies of nations than kings and princes. The rise of the Rothschilds reads like a fairy tale, and their power—once at least—was felt in every corner of the earth. It has even been said that they could make or prevent wars at will, but recent events leave this in doubt.

Commissioner Ward of the insanity board adds his testimony to that of many others who declare that there is an alarming amount of feeble-mindedness in Massachusetts, though this will not justify undue suspicion of one's neighbor. His address in this city was another argument in favor of prevention rather than cure.

The women who indignantly left the senate galleries because certain bills in which they were interested were held over have yet to learn that the word of a politician is one of the most elastic things known to science. Would votes for women improve matters?

Do not delay too long in calling for a dictionary. Three Sun coupons and 98c will get you one now, and you will never have a better opportunity.

The city that has not had money enough to do many necessary things cannot well approve of a military celebration costing $3,000. It is not the time nor the place for such an event, and its postponement would be wise.

Look up and smile: it is the Easter spirit.

Mary, Thomas, Peter and the Others Were as Human as You Are: They Saw and heard the Risen Christ. Dr. Bartlett Tells the Story Sunday Night.

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By the SAMOSET CLUB, LINCOLN HALL, under the direction of Geo. "Babe" Rogers. Concert 8 to 8.30. Cabaret Show and Dancing 8.30 to 1. Admission 25c. Miner's Famous Orch.

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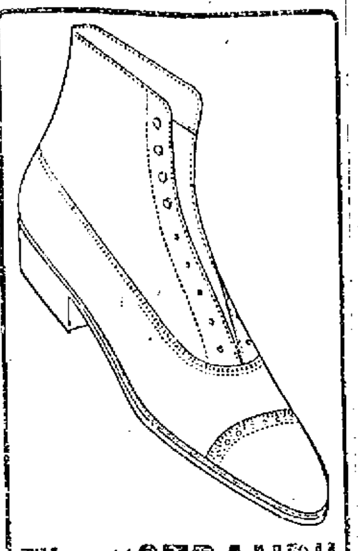
When shopping down street and you wish to refresh yourself, have an ice cream or a delicious hot soda at DOURODES, the two best places in the city. 218 Merrimack st., Old City Hall bldg., and at Bradley bldg., 173 Central street.



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The leather is a bright finished gun calf, also shown in mahogany. It has the low receding toe and very straight lines.

It will be the shoe of the season for young men who want a smart shoe. It is not only a very stylish shoe but it is as comfortable as it is swell. Price $5.00; other models $3.00 and $4.00.

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HELD UNION SERVICE

A union Good Friday service was held last evening in the Kirk Street Congregational church. Rev. C. A. Lincoln had charge and the church choir gave several selections appropriate to the day. The Beatitudes, and the last words of Christ upon the cross, taken in connection one with the other, furnished the themes for the speakers, who were Rev. A. C. Ferrin, Rev. E. H. Newcomb, Rev. F. G. Alger, Rev. Raymond G. Clapp and Rev. H. A. Barker. The attendance was large.

WASHINGTON AND CALIFORNIA

Henry H. Harris, master of the Varnum school, has booked 35 people for his Washington tour, which goes Friday night, April 23. Accommodations for a limited number still remain, but it will be wise for any others thinking of going to make early application, as hotel and steamboat facilities are always overtaxed the last week in April. Circulars of this tour and of the summer tour to the Panama-Pacific exposition, which leaves June 29, will be sent on application to 33 Eleventh street.

JUDGE STEVENS TO PRESIDE

Word was received here today that Judge Stevens will preside at the April sitting of the civil session of superior court which opens at the court house on Gorham street Monday morning at 10 o'clock. After the opening of court the clerk will read over the list so that the cases may be assigned for trial. Counsel should be prepared at that time to inform the court as to the likelihood of actual trial during this session and when their cases will be ready to open.

Annual Easter Sale

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WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, APRIL 14 and 15

AFTERNOON AND EVENING

PRESCOTT HALL

—DANCING—

CENSUS ENUMERATORS

The 58 census enumerators, who were recently appointed after taking an examination, will begin work in this city Monday morning and these men will be in charge of Alexis Fecteau, the local inspector for this work.

Some of the men will cover their territory in two weeks, while others will be busy for three or four weeks.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THIS IS THE GREAT HAT DAY OF THE YEAR

We sell more hats Easter Saturday than at any other time—be assured, our stock today is at its best.

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—are favorites—and are particularly desirable and especially in the new high oval crown, with smart, close cut brim; they're here in various correct proportions in Spring colors and black. $2.00 and $3.00

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—some very new shapes arrived this week—high square crowns, close curl brims in black, brown, green and blue, and also pearl Fedoras..........$1.50 to $3.00

DRESS THE PART FOR EASTER

—with our new gray cloth top Shoes, high or low as you prefer. The newest, smartest and most up-to-the-minute fashion in footwear........$5.00 and $6.00

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—very, very stylish in high and low Shoes for Spring—Gun metal, Russian calf or magohany leathers, from the best makers in America.......$3.00 to $6.50

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Joe Harkins' Ward	Princess
Competition	American
In the Mansion of Loneliness	Beauty
Organ Recital—Selection	Dr. Delevanti
SONGS J'Attends / L'Amour	Francois Chantereau

Mr. Chantereau, operatic tenor, comes from Paris, and his appearances in this country thus far have been highly successful. Lowell people are assured a treat in the engagement of this artist.

Music by Dr. Delevanti and the Opera House Orchestra has been arranged with special reference to Easter Sunday.

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Inimitable International French and English Dramatic Star, makes her screen debut in the great romance,

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THE GREATEST LAUGH PRODUCER OF THE CENTURY

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Baby SWEETHEART BROTHER SISTER AUNT OR ANYONE WHO CAN SMILE

You'll Laugh Till Your Sides Ache

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SAMOSET CABARET SHOW

George "Babe" Rogers, William O'Donnell, Walter Clough, George Kerwin, Sam Cassin, Law Rogers, Warren Rogers, Jerry Longley, John Riley, Charles Sadlier and other well known cabaret performers will appear as soloists in the annual musical treat to be conducted by the Samoset club at Lincoln hall on Monday evening. Dancing will be indulged in from 8 to 12 and Miner's orchestra will furnish the music. Other innovations will be on the boards and a highly enjoyable evening is promised all who attend.

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THE CITY MUST BUILD CONTAGIOUS HOSPITAL

The municipal council through Mayor Murphy was notified yesterday by the state board of health that the time limit for the city of Lowell for the selection of a site for a contagious hospital had been set as Sept. 1. It is understood that if by that time the council has not selected a site the city will be prosecuted.

Duncan is Borrowing

Commissioner Duncan of the finance department is negotiating with Boston bankers for the loans of $50,000 for streets and $225,000 for the water department as authorized by the municipal council.

Mr. Duncan has been in communication with officials of the First National bank of Boston and they advised him to combine the three loans for the street department as authorized by the municipal council into one loan. These loans are $75,000 for block paving, $50,000 for macadam and $25,000 for Rogers street. The bank officials recommend the borrowing in lump sum as better rates can be obtained in this way.

Chauffeurs' Licenses

Examined Lathrop of the highway commission was in Lowell this morning and he examined 12 men who applied for chauffeurs' licenses. Among this number several were from Lawrence.

Payroll

The payroll for this week at city hall amounts to $17,842.22.

Permits

Henry A. Derby was granted a permit for the erection of a five-room house at 151 A street. The building will contain bath and pantry and will be 24 by 30 feet, the approximate cost to be $1300.

George A. Coburn will erect a seven-room house with pantry and bath at 70 Upham street at a cost of $2600.

Michael Riley has taken out a permit for the construction of a seven-room house with pantry and bath at 80 Upham street at a cost of $2600.

James Dow was granted a permit for the construction of a house at 155-157 B street. The house will contain two tenements of six rooms with pantry and bath and the cost will be $3500.

Pig Lead

The purchasing agent has received a requisition from the water department for the purchase of a carload of soft western pig lead, the transaction to be closed tomorrow.

THE RICHMOND STOPPED

NEW YORK, April 3.—When the Clyde Line steamer Richmond passed Staten island yesterday afternoon, for Wilmington, N. C., and Georgetown, S. C., the torpedo boat destroyer McDougal, anchored on neutrality duty, hoisted the international code signal T. X. B. "Stop instantly." This was because the Richmond had not shown the identification signal assigned to her when her papers were issued at the custom house.

Capt. Borum of the Richmond kept right on, however, and Lieut. Commander Leigh C. Palmer of the McDougal, then fired a shot, which brought the Richmond to.

The Navy Yard tug Narkita, with an officer from the McDougal on board, went to the Richmond and boarded her in the Narrows.

The officer asked Capt. Borum why he had not displayed signals.

Capt. Borum apologized and said he did not know, until the shot was fired, that he had been ordered to stop. In a quarter of an hour the Richmond, her papers being found all right, was allowed to proceed.

FIGHT FIRE AT HOSPITAL

NEW YORK, April 3.—Two barrels, containing wood and coal, in the rear yard of the Red Cross hospital, One Hundredth street and Central Park West, caught fire at 7.40 o'clock Thursday night and were sending up clouds of smoke before the flames were discovered.

The telephone operator, Miss May Sheehan, sent in a still alarm of fire and the nurses and doctors formed a bucket brigade and attacked the blaze. In a cellar within twenty feet of the blazing barrels were stored several cases of explosive chemicals. The doctors and nurses kept the fire in check until the arrival of the engines. The firemen quickly disposed of the fire.

There are fifty patients in the hospital. Few of them knew there was a fire and there was no panic.

Today is "Quarter Day" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

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RAN OUT OF BOUT

Champion Refused to Meet Langford Down in Lawrence

Jack Johnson, who will uphold the title of heavyweight champion of the world in his encounter Monday with Jess Willard at Havana, Cuba ran out of an offer to fight Sam Langford at the old West End club in this city in 1906.

Arthur J. Cross was the matchmaker of the club at the time and on Nov. 29 Thanksgiving day of that year, he went to Haverhill along with a party of friends to witness the Sam Langford and George Gunther battle. Langford and Gunther had been having some terrific fights and so they agreed to stage a bout in Haverhill. Jack Johnson went along to Haverhill with Gunther and he was in his corner. That riled Langford. Langford and Johnson had already met on April 26 in the same year in Chelsea and Johnson won the decision in 15 rounds. There was bad blood between the two since, but, when Langford saw Johnson back of Gunther he was mad clean through.

Langford won the fight in five rounds. On the way to Chelsea to witness the Honey Mellody and Joe Walcott bout for the welterweight championship, which Mellody won in 12 rounds, Nick Cross tried to get Langford and Johnson to agree to meet at the local club. Langford was willing but Johnson backed out of the match. He wanted to meet some other fellow from Philadelphia and $500 would pay both men. The club matchmaker couldn't see such a match and especially in view of the interest in a Langford and Johnson bout on account of the rivalry after the Chelsea affair. The negotiations fell through and Johnson did not fight here. At that time Langford was fighting around 142 and Johnson 180.—Lawrence Eagle-Tribune.

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DOPE ON COMING FIGHT

How the Two Men Size Up—Local Man Picks Willard as the Probable Winner

IN WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP BATTLE

JESS WILLARD	JACK JOHNSON
Height—6 feet 6 inches.	Height—6 feet ½ inch.
Reach—83½ inches.	Reach—75½ inches.
Neck—17¾ inches.	Neck—17 inches.
Wrist—8¾ inches.	Wrist—8¼ inches.
Forearm—14 inches.	Forearm—13⅞ inches.
Biceps (relaxed)—15½ inches.	Biceps (relaxed)—14¼ inches.
Biceps (tense)—16 inches.	Biceps (tense)—15½ inches.
Chest—44 inches.	Chest 42 inches.
Chest (expanded)—46½ inches.	Chest (expanded)—44½ inches.
Waist—36½ inches.	Waist—38 inches.
Thigh—25 inches.	Thigh—26½ inches.
Calf—16¾ inches.	Calf—16 inches.
Ankle—9½ inches.	Ankle—11 inches.
Born December 29, 1887, in Pottawatomie county, Kansas.	Born March 31, 1878, Galveston, Texas.
First bout, Feb. 15, 1911. Lost on foul to Louis Fink.	First bout May 8, 1899. Lost to Klondike in Chicago in five rounds.

In Havana today the odds have shifted to between 2-1 and 5-3 on the battle next Monday which will go down in the world's ring history as a contest between two of the greatest giants which the glove game ever produced with Johnson on the long end naturally. The only unnatural thing about it is that Johnson isn't a bigger favorite down in Cuba. In New York, although the Willard men have grown a trifle bolder, the odds still hover between 3-1 and 9-1.

Thus far there has been but little money wagered on the coming championship battle. The reason for this can be ascribed to several reasons. The present shortage of cash is one very sufficient reason why the betting is low. Then the fact that the battle is to be staged on foreign soil is another supposition. But the real reason why more money is not put up on the outcome of the contest is probably the public's almost total ignorance of what either man can do when they step into the ring Monday.

Moran Fight No Criterion

Johnson was 37 years old the 31st of last month. That's a pretty old man to be pitted against a man nine years his junior. Johnson's last fight was with Frank Moran which went twenty rounds to a decision for the champion.

The critics who watched Johnson in the Moran battle have never been able to satisfy themselves or one point—whether or not the Galveston black really extended himself in that affair. Moran couldn't hit the champion, he was too clever for him, but at the same time Johnson failed to show that he could go up against a hard hitter and last out 15 rounds of milling. So that the Moran fight can hardly be a criterion of Johnson's fighting ability.

Will Be a Fight

There seems to be but little doubt in the minds of any of those who are versed in glove lore but what Monday's affair will be a fight. Forty-five three minute rounds is a long time to face an opponent who is looking for your scalp. Two hours and fifteen minutes cannot be boxed [illegible] or at least it never has [illegible] does not seem possible that [illegible] years of age will slow [illegible]

Willard claims that [illegible] of Johnson is a fight [illegible] didn't fight Moran, he [illegible] is plainly evident [illegible] Johnson can outbox Willard [illegible] Willard is the game [illegible] say that if he poss[illegible] that critics give him [illegible] and can hit with [illegible] harder than any man [illegible] only one answer [illegible] Johnson before [illegible] passed into history [illegible] will be forced [illegible] at bout is over. [illegible] his white opponent [illegible]

Local Man's Dope

Several local [illegible] Willard tossing the [illegible] battle the other [illegible] Lavery strolled along [illegible] several weeks with Willard [illegible] Tom Jones [illegible] years ago and his dope [illegible] test. [illegible] was [illegible] "Jess told me," Mr. Lavery said, "that he never hit a man in his life as hard as he could and that nobody had ever hit him hard enough to hurt—that is to hurt for more than the round. It is my opinion that Willard was absolutely conscientious in in what he said. He is just a big good natured boy who has never taken his ring career seriously, accepting the earnings from the bouts which Jones arranged for him and letting it go at that. In my estimation," concluded Jim, "I think that Willard has a very good chance of whipping the champion."

Willard has improved, of course, since his last fight, probably improved with leaps and bounds. Under the careful tutelage which he has received from his various sparring partners all of whom have seen Johnson in action many times and several of whom have sparred with Willard, the latter must be a greatly improved glove artist.

Johnson is the better boxer. Willard is heavier, taller and is younger. Johnson has experience which the white man lacks. From where we sit it looks as though the outcome of Monday's world's championship rumpus will depend upon the hitting ability of the men.

CARGOES OF POTASH

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Negotiations have been opened between Washington and Berlin looking to the release of cargoes of potash consigned to the United States before the outbreak of the war but detained since in interned ships and otherwise. Considerable potash needed in this country for fertilizer is said to be tied up in that way.

FUNERAL NOTICES

HADLEY—Died in this city, April 1st, at St. John's hospital, Charles B. Hadley, aged 78 years. Funeral services will be held from the rooms of Undertakers Young & Blake, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.

LEIGHTON—The funeral of John Leighton will take place Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his home, 826 Bridge street. A high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church, the date to be announced later. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Charles H. Molloy.

HARDISTY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hardisty will take place Monday morning, April 5, from her home, 798 Lawrence street, at eight o'clock. Funeral high mass of requiem at Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertaker J. J. O'Connell.

HICKEY—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Hickey will take place Saturday afternoon, April 3, from her home, 20 Kiernan street, at 2 o'clock. Service at Sacred Heart church at 3 o'clock. On Monday morning, April 12, a high mass of requiem at 9 o'clock. Burial in charge of Undertaker J. J. O'Connell.

REP. GILBRIDE COLLECTOR

Representative John J. Gilbride of the 15th Middlesex district began his new duties as deputy collector of internal revenue yesterday.

VERY SUDDEN DEATH

JOHN CONWAY DIED SUDDENLY AT HIS HOME ON CENTRAL STREET

John Conway died very suddenly at 351 Central street. He had been ill for about two hours and was found dead in bed by a person who went to his room to visit him. Medical Examiner Meigs was notified and decided that death was due to natural causes. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker McDonough on Gorham street. Deceased is survived by a wife, Mary F.

FIRE IN WORCESTER

WORCESTER, April 2.—A fire of unknown origin today damaged the two-story factory building of the Worcester Felt Shoe Co. on Middle River road to the extent of $25,000 and threw nearly 100 persons out of employment.

When the first piece of fire apparatus reached the building flames were bursting from every window and in less than half an hour the roof and second floor collapsed. Several violent explosions occurred and the entire south side of the structure was blown out. Fanned by a strong wind the flames spread to nearby buildings, threatening the five-story structure of the Wachusett Thread Co.

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KILLED ON PAIGE STREET

Little Boy the Victim of Automobile Accident—Chauffeur Held at Police Station

George Atkinson, aged eight years, and making his home at the O'Leary home in Kirk street, was struck and fatally injured by an automobile while playing in Paige street yesterday. The boy was removed to St. John's hospital, but died shortly after his arrival. The chauffeur of the machine, Oliver F. Morton, 17 years of age, and residing in New Hampshire, was taken to the police station, where he is being held on a charge of manslaughter.

The machine is owned by Guy F. Bullard, president and sales manager of the Rhode Island Fitting Co. of Hills Grove, R. I., who was in the machine with his chauffeur when the accident occurred. According to witnesses of the accident, the automobile was being driven at a moderate rate of speed through Paige street about 2 o'clock this afternoon. The Atkinson boy, who was playing with other companions in the street, rolling a hoop, is said to have paid no attention to the warnings of the chauffeur, who kept sounding his horn, but ran right into the path of the car.

The little fellow was struck a glancing blow and was thrown forcibly to the macadam pavement. The ambulance was summoned and the boy was removed to St. John's hospital in haste, but he died a few minutes later. The body was subsequently removed to the funeral parlors of Undertaker Peter H. Savage. The only injury found on the body was a deep gash over the eye.

The chauffeur was taken to the police station, where the chief of police decided to hold him on a charge of manslaughter. He will be arraigned in court tomorrow morning.

The victim of the accident was the son of Mrs. Alice Atkinson, an employe of the Richardson hotel, while the father's name is Albert L. The boy is also survived by two sisters, Grace and Eva and a brother, Leroy.

ENDED HIS LIFE

Young Man Mentally Unbalanced Jumped Into Broadway Canal

While mentally unbalanced, Daniel Connors, aged 24 years, a well known young man of this city, committed suicide yesterday by jumping over the Locks & Canals bridge in Broadway, opposite Wilson's coal office, into the canal. Although several people were in the immediate vicinity they were unable to rescue the young man, who sank to his death.

Mr. Connors was an employe of the linen department at the store of the Gilbride Co., but had not worked for the past two weeks on account of illness. This afternoon shortly before 3 o'clock he went up Broadway and when he reached the bridge over the canal he paused and looked around for a moment. Then he placed his hands on the bridge railing and vaulted. His hat was later seen floating.

The young man resided in Shaeffer street and had been employed at Gilbride's for the past two years. It was learned this afternoon that he had not worked for the past two weeks on account of illness, and it is believed his illness brought on temporary derangement of mind during which he committed the terrible deed. Employes of Undertaker C. H. Molloy are grappling for the body.

ANOTHER FINE CATCH

The time for catching fish has come, the trout days have begun, and Lowell fishers near and far start out ere rise of sun, and to the trout brooks make their way, the sportive fish to catch, in hope some wonder of the deep from woodland stream to snatch. All of which mighty effort is apropos of the following:

Charles Crymble of Sayles street went fishing for trout in Black brook yesterday and returned with several fine specimens, some of which were 12 to 15 inches long.

THREAT OF REPRISALS

LONDON, April 2.—A German protest and threat of reprisals on account of the treatment by Great Britain of the prisoners taken on board German submarines was made public here. This protest was transmitted by Germany to Great Britain through the United States. The reply of Great Britain also was made public.

SHOT AND KILLED HIMSELF

HONOLULU, April 2.—Mark P. Robinson, capitalist and vice president of the First National bank of Hawaii, shot and killed himself here today. In a note he indicated that his act was caused by a nervous condition due to insomnia.

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FROM WAR ZONE

Lowell Girl Gets Letter From Brother in the Trenches

Miss E. B. Mooers of 149 Pleasant street has received an interesting letter from her brother, Corporal Robert Mooers, who is with the First Canadian contingent in France. The young soldier writes in a modest way and does not dwell on any of the exciting events that must be taking place on the firing line where the enemy can be heard talking.

Corporal Mooers is a valued member of the Brighton engineers who have already distinguished themselves in their special work.

The letter is as follows:

Somewhere-in-France,
Feb. 27, 1915.

My Dear Sister:

I suppose you are beginning to wonder why I have not written to you for so long. Well, since I have written to you last I have been going through many new scenes which have occupied my time so much that I have not thought of writing. I suppose you have read long ago about our crossing the channel. We landed in France about Feb. 12th. I am not allowed to tell you the names of any places, so don't wonder at me leaving them out. We were billeted for three days in a large barn, quite a distance back from the firing line. We then marched up here where we were put into very comfortable billets in the heart of a fine little city where we can have a real good time during our spare hours.

We settled down to night work at once and we were all very glad to be given the privilege of taking an active part in the war. I have not had a shot at the Germans yet but I have been on working parties that have done valuable work. We have been very fortunate in having had no casualties as yet, but I must not boast. Our work is all done at night and we have never been discovered. Yet we were out in front of our trenches the other night where we could hear the Germans talking plainly. We were working on a new entanglement. We march from our billets to the lines each night and return before morning. It is rather convenient you see to be able to occupy good, comfortable quarters and yet be able to be at the scene of the fighting each night. I have never managed to see a German yet, as I have never been out during the day. One of our parties ventured out to blow up a house during the day and was heavily shelled but they succeeded in setting the house blown down after a while. One of our officers in the 2nd field company was killed the other night.

The allies seem to be merely holding the Germans until the winter is over. Some people think that a big advance will begin in the spring. Others think that the war will last for two years longer. I don't know how long it will last but I hope to see it carried through to the end. I guess the poor old Kaiser will soon be entirely destitute of friends in the world. We don't get the papers here very regularly but then most of the news is published in divisional orders periodically. We get our mail very regularly here. I got some papers from home today.

Will have to close now and get my dinner. We are being fed fairly well here. Remember me to all the folks.

With love,

Brother Bob.

SEVERAL BRUSH FIRES

Five brush fires in different parts of the city kept the firemen busy around noon yesterday. In the afternoon at 3 o'clock the Westford street chemical was called to a field off Sayles street, where a grass fire was threatening to reach large proportions, but the fire men checked the blaze before any serious damage resulted.

A brush and grass fire off Boylston street, South Lowell, called out the members of Hose 11 about the same time while at 3.31 a telephone alarm was received for a grass fire on Perry street which was burning around a pile of logs. The damage was slight.

GERMAN POTASH FERTILIZER

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Efforts of the United States government to obtain concessions from Germany which would permit the importation of German potash fertilizer failed today, it became known here, when American officials were advised that Germany would make no alteration of her embargo. Negotiations had been in progress since the outbreak of the European war.

FREIGHT RATES

Seven Percent Fair Return to Railroads on Their Investments

CHICAGO, April 2.—Seven per cent is not too high a return to railroads on their investments and railroads may earn even more than that without indicating excessively high freight rates, U. G. Powell, rate expert of the Nebraska railroad commission, testified under cross examination today at the interstate commerce commission hearing of the western rate cases.

Mr. Powell had been on the stand two days in opposition to the 41 western railroads' plea for higher freight rates on certain commodities. He selected six of the western roads as typical, saying they were earning on an average 6¾ per cent and this showed they were not unprosperous.

Counsel for the railroads contended that Mr. Powell had selected mostly the strong roads, omitting the financially weaker ones, which are also a party to the plea of more revenue.

"The fact that a road was earning 7 per cent or more would not necessarily indicate that the freight rates were too high, would it?" asked C. C. Wright, conducting the cross examination for the roads.

"A road might be earning 7 per cent or more and yet its rates might not be excessively high."

Mr. Powell explained that although the average earnings of the roads he selected had been 6.75 per cent, they never had paid dividends at that rate on their investment. Neither had all the roads involved in this case averaged dividends equal to that percentage, he said.

SARAH ELLEN M'LAUGHLIN

MARCHIONESS OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH, DIED TODAY IN HER 86TH YEAR

NEW YORK, April 2.—Mrs. Sarah Ellen McLaughlin, a marchioness of the Roman Catholic church, and widow of Hugh McLaughlin, for years democratic leader of Brooklyn, died today in her 86th year. She was created marchioness by Pope Pius X.

SOCIETY OF VAGABONDS

ALLEGED LEADER OF BAD GANG ARRESTED IN CONNECTION WITH MURDER OF L. VINCENZO

NEW YORK, April 2.—Frank Ammirata, alias Antonio Scandale, said to be leader of a so-called "Society of Vagabonds" in West Virginia, was arrested here today on a federal charge involving him in the murder of Leonardo Vincenzo at Fairmount, W. Va., last Christmas eve.

Ammirata, according to the authorities, is also implicated in an effort to extort $2000 from James Butcheri, described as a wealthy business man of Harding, W. Va., by means of "Black Hand" letters.

Vincenzo, whose home was in Fonda, N. Y., was murdered shortly after his arrival at Fairmont to testify as a government witness against one of the "Society of Vagabonds."

CORNELIUS HAS ARRIVED

NEW YORK, April 2.—After having been detained in Germany for nearly seven months Cornelius Unruh, a Russian of military age and a Mennonite missionary attached to the South India mission, under the direction of the American Baptist Foreign Mission society, has reached this country. Mr. Unruh's release was brought about, it was announced today, by the American state department. Mr. Unruh, who had been in the United States on a furlough, was returning to his mission in India and had reached Germany when the war broke out. As he was a Russian he was detained. Before the German authorities would consent to a release, it was necessary for the society to summon him to this country and for the American government to agree that he would be permitted to land. Mr. Unruh himself was required to swear that he would not go to Russia or England during the war.

OBREGON HEARD FROM

WASHINGTON, April 2.—First definite information of the location of Gen. Obregon and his army since he evacuated Mexico City to the Zapata forces, came today in an official despatch from Gen. Carranza to his agency here, announcing that Obregon was at Queretaro, 80 miles north of the capital, and thus again menacing any southern advance of the Villa army.

Obregon was once thought to be moving along the railroad toward Vera Cruz and was later reported intending to concentrate at Puebla.

Recently it was reported that the Zapata-Villa force intended to evacuate and that Obregon would again occupy the capital.

The gunboat Machias was today ordered from New York to join the cruiser squadron at Vera. The battleships Delaware and Georgia soon will come north for target practice with the Atlantic fleet.

O'SULLIVAN SAYS

What are Glen Urquhart Plaid Suits? They are strictly all wool, two or three button sack coats with regular or patch pockets—the colors are gray and black, green and black, purple and gray, and green and gray; the plaid is about three inches square and the prices at the Merrimack Clothing Company this week are $10, $12, $15, $20 and $25.

NO LIQUOR IN CLUBS

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 2.—In both houses of the Tennessee legislature today bills prohibiting social and fraternal clubs from storing and dispensing liquor were passed. In the house passage of the bill was attended by stormy scenes. An amendment was adopted then making the bill effective June 1. Since the "nuisance law" of the last legislature became effective many clubs have operated "lockers."

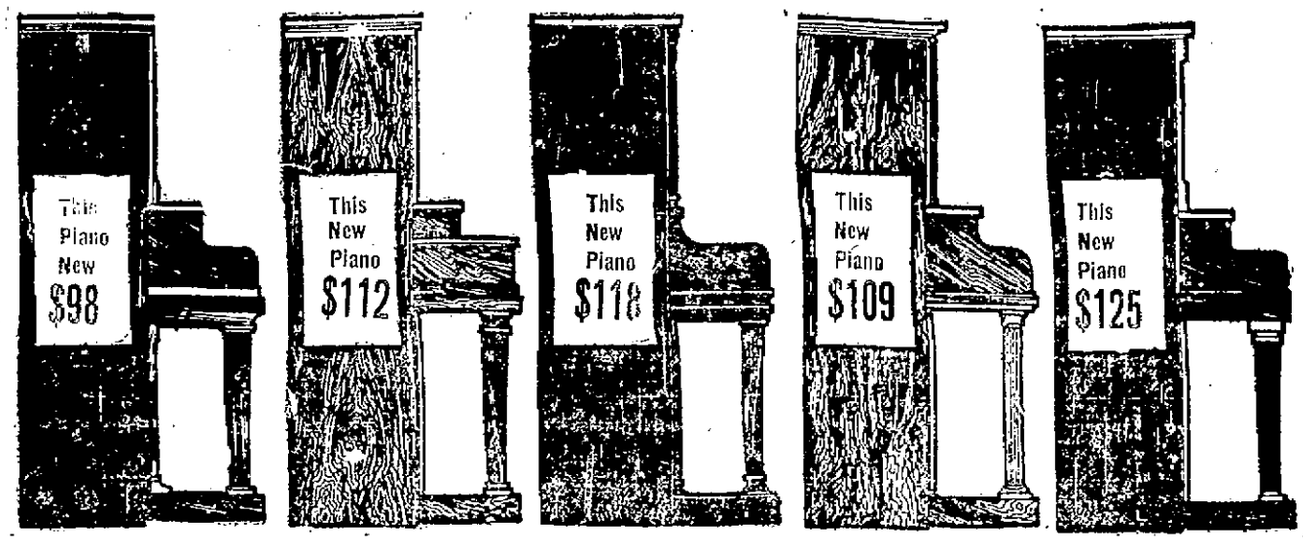
THANKED AMERICANS

PARIS, April 2.—Surgeon General Gravier at the formal opening today of the eye department of the military hospital took occasion to thank Dr. Louis Borsch, formerly of Philadelphia, who is in charge of this department, for the work he and other Americans are doing for the French wounded. Surgeon General Gravier declared the services were highly esteemed by the government and the people of France.

VERY THOUGHTFUL OF HIM

DOUGLAS, Ariz., April 2.—General Venustiano Carranza has ordered Col. Calles, his commander in Sonora, to refrain from any activities which might endanger life or property on the American side of the border, according to an announcement today by Calles.

Purely out of respect for the United States, Carranza said, his followers would respect the neutrality of the Sonora border.



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CANADA TAKING ACTION

NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA SCOTIA ARE CONSIDERING PROHIBITION

MONTREAL, April 2—The stand taken by King George in regard to the liquor question in Great Britain has been warmly approved here. A number of eminent Canadians today declared for restriction of the use of alcoholic drinks.

Despatches from St. John quoted Premier Clarke of New Brunswick as saying that his government was considering the prohibition of the use of alcohol during the war. Premier Murray of Nova Scotia yesterday assured a delegation that the government had prohibition under consideration.

Saskatchewan has already abolished the bar for the duration of the war. Manitoba and Ontario have initiated restrictive legislation in regard to the sale of liquor.

O'SULLIVAN SAYS

What is the story about Glen Urquhart Plaid? Urquhart is the 71st clan of Scotland. This clan takes its name from Urquhart in Inverness-shire and dates back to the first Lord Urquhart in the year 1342. The original family of Urquhart has passed away though there is still an Urquhart of Craigston Castle, Scotland, and there are several hundred Glen Urquhart suits at the Merrimack Clothing Company today, priced from $10 to $25.

STEALING THE ELECTION

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., April 2.—While admitting that a conspiracy existed in Terre Haute for the purpose of stealing the election of last November, three attorneys representing five of the 28 men on trial in the federal court here on charges of conspiracy to corrupt that election insisted in their arguments today that their clients were in no way connected with it. The attorneys also discussed at length the rules of law that all defendants are presumed to be innocent until proven guilty beyond a reasonable doubt and that conviction cannot be made on the evidence of uncorroborated co-defendants.

COMMITTEE ON RAILROADS

BOSTON, April 2.—At a conference today of the sub-committee of the legislative committee on railroads and counsel for the public service commission, the federal trustees of the Boston & Maine and the leased lines, Prof Ripley of Harvard university and Geo. W. Anderson were instructed to make W Anderson were instructed to make certain changes in the bill providing for the reorganization of the company.

Prof. Ripley attended the conference at the request of the committee.

The principal feature of the new bill will be a provision that in case the Boston & Maine or any receiver of the company fails to pay the rental charges of the leased lines the latter companies may bargain with any other railroad company with the approval of the public service commission.

Prof. Ripley was also asked to draw a section of the bill providing that certain premiums which the company obtained in past years from the sale of its stock to the amount of $2,500,000 may be capitalized for the purpose of providing stock to be used in bargaining with the leased lines.

It is expected that the re-drafted bill will be represented to the sub-committee early next week.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

LOCAL BUILDING NEWS

Business Continues Brisk and Demand for Permits is Large—Real Estate Men Busy

Increased activity continues to prevail in the real estate and building circles and during the past week at city hall there was a big demand for permits. The total value of the permits, which numbered about 16, is approximately $24,705, quite a nice sum to be spent in Lowell for new buildings and remodelling of old. Out of the number of permits, ten called for new buildings and of these ten, nine were issued to cover the erection of new dwellings of from one to three apartments.

The real estate men report very favorably of the conditions of the market and still maintain in many instances that their one obstacle is the shortage of suitable property to show prospective buyers. Many people already owning property will buy more, if suitable parcels are offered for sale, but they cannot be induced to sell.

Fred Desrosiers is one of several who are constructing apartment houses. Mr. Desrosiers will erect a three apartment dwelling at 723-725 Moody street. Each apartment is to have six rooms, pantry and bath. The roof will be flat, the foundation of stone and there will be two stairways, one front and the other in the rear portion of the house. The cost as estimated will be approximately $3000.

A two apartment dwelling is to be erected for William McDonald at 59-61 Norcross street. The apartments will consist of 5 rooms, pantry and bath each, and the building will be two and one-half stories in height. There will be two stairways and the method of heating will be by steam. The cost will be approximately $3000.

A single family house will be built for Annie J. Dorine at 148 Carlisle street. The building will be a story and one-half in height and will measure 24 by 18 feet. A furnace will be the method of heating. $1200 is the estimated cost. The owner is a resident of East Chelmsford.

A new dwelling will be erected at 154 A street by Henry A. Derby. The building will consist of one story and attic, measuring 24 by 30 feet. It will have five rooms, pantry and bath and the cost will be in the vicinity of $1300.

John L. Holman will erect a new house on his property at 138 Liberty street at a cost of about $3000. The new house will measure 24 by 30 feet, will have seven rooms, pantry and bath and will be heated by steam.

A two family house will be built for James Dow at 155-157 B street. The house will be two and one-half stories in height and will measure 24 by 50 feet. Each tenement will consist of 6 rooms, pantry and bath. The cost is placed at $3500.

Michael Riley is another of those who are building new dwellings. Mr. Riley's new house will be erected at 80 Upham street, the principal material being wood. The front will be 24 feet and the side 32 feet. The dwelling will have one apartment of 7 rooms, bath and pantry and will be heated by steam. The cost will be $2600.

George A. Coburn will build a single apartment dwelling at 70 Upham street at a cost of $2600. The dwelling will be 24 by 32 feet in size and will have seven rooms pantry and bath, method of heating to be steam.

Margaret W. Merrill will finish the house at 112 Woburn street which was begun in 1913 by W. H. Hansen. The house will have six roms instead of five as called for in the original permit, otherwise the specifications are the same. The cost of completion will be $500.

Octave Lamontagne and Louis Pouissant are building a storage shed in Cumberland road, off Dalton street, 30 by 18 feet in size and one story in height. The cost will be $200.

Manuel J. Avila is changing the store front at Central street, corner of Charles street. The alterations will result in affording a salesroom and bake shop. The door will be changed over and a new window built in. The work will cost $50.

Katherine Kearns is building a new piazza to replace the old one at her house at 99 Beach street. The work will cost about $100.

Louis Ducharme is building an addition for a store on his property at 675 Middlesex street. The front of the building will be changed over for store purposes. The work of remodeling will cost in the neighborhood of $150.

In the building at 28 Suffolk street, leased by George Thomas and George Kalaf, a new brick oven will be constructed at a cost of $500. The oven will be built on a concrete floor.

An iron stack for a boiler chimney will be constructed by Charles P. Dodge at 537 School street. The boiler will be installed in the barn and the one in the house removed.

Ella B. Pierce at 95 Ford street is having a new sleeping porch built on the roof of her dwelling at a cost of $75.

REAL ESTATE DEALERS

Sales by E. Gaston Campbell

E. Gaston Campbell, with offices at 325-328 Hildreth building, reports the following sales for the week ending April 2:

Bond for a deed has been signed on two lots of land situated on Farmland road, West Centralville. The obligee's, Edmond Traversy, who is a contractor, intentions are to build modern houses on these lots. Further particulars will be given when deeds are ready to be recorded.

Agreements have been signed for the purchase and sale of an extra large lot of land located on Lakeview avenue near Campaw street. This lot contains nearly 11,000 square feet and full particulars will be given upon passing of final papers.

Agreements have also been signed on a two-tenement house of six rooms to each tenement, with a shed, barn and a lot containing 6000 square feet. The grantee in this transaction buys as an investment and full particulars will be given upon passing of final papers.

Sales by Byam Bros.

Byam Bros. real estate brokers with offices at 97 Central street, report the following sales for the week ending April 2, 1915:

Papers have been passed on the transfer of a first-class cottage house on Centralville Hill. This is situated at 60 Nineteenth street with a south and west exposure. The property comprises a seven room cottage with small shop in rear and land totaling 5000 square feet. The sale has been effected for Charles H. and Katie E. Mears, and the purchaser is Ellen M. Marshall. Mrs. Marshall is to occupy the premises in the near future.

Final papers have been taken to record whereby the property situated at 90 Parker avenue, Dracut, Mass., comprisong a seven room cottage, stable, hen house and ten thousand square feet of land has been conveyed by Mrs. Louis M. Doyle to local parties who buy for home purposes. This office was assisted in this transaction by the office of Thomas H. Elliott.

Contracts calling for the purchase and sale have been signed calling for the transfer in the near future of a seven room cottage home on Shaw street. Full details will be given upon passing of final papers.

Contracts by Geo. A. Hill

Geo. A. Hill, the electrical contractor, is installing the electric lighting fixtures in a new house for E. A. Shapson on Wyman street. He is also wiring a large cement four-apartment house in Centralville for Mr. Jacques Boisvert.

THE EXPOSITION ROSE

The rose display at the Panama-Pacific International exposition proves itself to be one of the horticultural wonders of the world. The famous international rose-growers have entered thousands of plants in competition for the $1000 prize for the best rose, hitherto unnamed and never before exhibited, which can be produced. This rose, when the award is made, will be given a name that will pertain to the exposition, thus perpetuating the name and the glory of the exposition through the medium of a lovely bloom.

ISLANDS THAT GROW

At Yamagata, Japan, says an exchange, there is a small lake called the Lake of Floating Islands, that contains at times as many as sixty islands that change their position constantly. The islands, which move first one way and then the other, start from masses of vegetable debris that are carried to the surface by bubbles of gas; reeds soon grow on these masses in such quantity that they sometimes become topheavy and overturn. In that case the reeds grow on the newly exposed side, until the islands have become so deep and wide that they will no longer turn over. Professor Kusakabe, of the Tohoku Imperial university and several associates have investigated the mysterious movements of these floating islands. By placing wooden floats in the lake to show the situation and direction of the various currents Professor Kusakabe and his associates found that the combined action of currents of air and water is what makes the islands move.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUILD

All over the country the papers have been laying particular stress on this being the time to build. Some of the arguments put forth have been well worth serious consideration, and all of them are timely and ought to be acted on by those who have the money to build. The northern, western and southern papers have been publishing a good deal of matter of this kind. A recent issue of the Albany Herald, of Albany, Ga., has a good article along this line, saying among other things the following:

"The war in Europe is not going to last forever. It must end some time, and conditions are not apt to grow worse than they are now. They are more apt to gradually improve as the industrial and commercial world recovers from the shock of changed conditions and adjusts itself to the new order of things.

"In the meantime, consider this:

"Labor is cheaper now than in many years.

"So is building material of all kinds—lumber, brick, lime, cement, and almost everything else that goes into the construction of a dwelling house or a business structure.

"Therefore, those who are in position to do so should seize the golden opportunity and get ready to take advantage of the 'good times' which are sure to return before very long.

"Such a policy, if adopted on a considerable scale, would stimulate all lines of business. The unemployed would be given employment. They would have money to spend and it would be spent with the merchants in all lines of trade. Business would pick up in gratifying manner through all channels of trade.

"Then there are those who could take advantage of the low cost of labor and material by making minor improvements if not in position to embark on more extensive building operations. Homes could be repaired and painted. Premises could be put in first-class condition. The whole town could be made to look better and numbers of people would receive employment who are now out of work."—St. Louise Lumberman.

PLANT A TREE

Whether it be a fruit tree, an ornamental tree or a timber tree, the time devoted to planting it is well and worthily spent, says the Louisville Courier-Journal. Within the last two decades the whole country has awakened to the importance of the forestry question. All states should be interested in preserving the remnants of our goodly forest heritage, and in passing on to future generations a land beautified and glorified by its wealth of trees.

It requires years for nature to build a perfect tree, and it requires only a few moments for a man to destroy nature's work. The time has come when nature must be assisted in the beneficent task of reforestation.

THE CONCRETE HOUSE

That "the concrete house" is elusive of definition is made evident by the houses now seen. Cast-in-place houses with solid walls, with steel forms, and with unit wall apparatus; houses of pre-cast units varying from the relatively small block units to light thin sections for double walls and large two and three-ton units handled by an electric crane—all these are in evidence. Then in the matter of architectural development there are various stucco treatments, brushed and rubbed surfaces and beautiful color effects. The concrete house is not one kind of house. Concrete is a universal material and its variety of applications does not lag in realization through any inherent sameness in the material itself, either structurally or architecturally. The applications merely wait upon a skilled hand to work them. That they are being worked out to meet various demands of purse and taste is evidenced by the many examples in all parts of the country.—Concrete-Cement Age.

SALEM'S NEW BUILDING CODE

The new building code which was adopted the third week in August by the rebuilding commission of the city of Salem, Mass., specifies that for structures which may be erected on the burned district, the roofs must be of slate, tile, terra cotta, metal or some other equally incombustible material. The code allows for factory and mill construction, but these buildings must be of first or second class construction or built with a mill frame and an exterior of metal or other incombustible material.

In regard to the residential section the code reads as follows:

"No building will be allowed to run nearer than 5 feet to the adjoining lot, and there must be a distance of at least 10 ft. between buildings on the same lot. No building shall occupy more than 75 per cent. of the lot on which it is built, unless it be on a corner, then it may occupy 80 per cent. of the lot."

The new regulations apply only to the burned district.

HINTS ON HOUSE PLANNING

When you commence to plan your new house get a good-sized scrapbook in which to paste every kind of a suggestion you come across. There are hundreds of little ideas, as well as some larger ones, which will help you give your home added charm or comfort without much increase in cost. Ideas about built-in things, from a simple shelf to a medicine closet or a seat in an inglenook. There are things to do and things not to do about the placing of lights and of radiators and of water or steam pipes. There are principles of harmony to be remembered in the selection of rugs, draperies, wall decorations and furniture. We all run across such suggestions, but rarely remember them. So get a scrapbook, or else a large envelope or a flat box, labeled "The New House." It will pay.

TREE-BREATHING

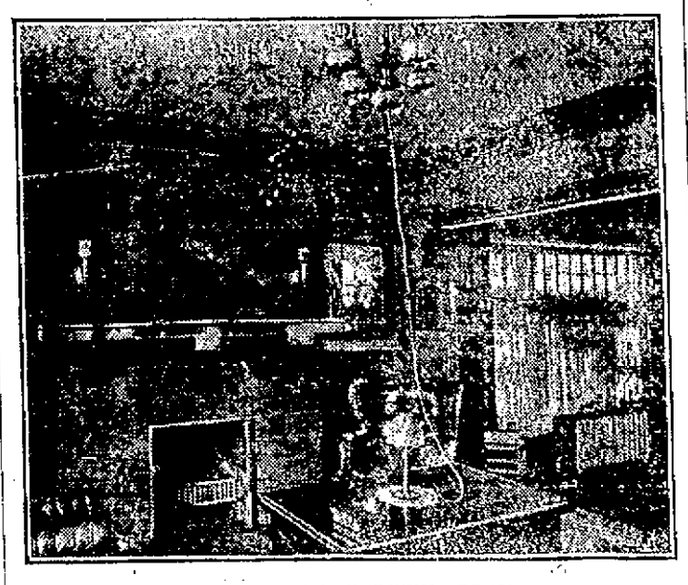
Trees breathe the same as animals, says an exchange. They inhale oxygen and exhale carbonic acid gas. The oxygen is taken in through the leaves and through the minute openings in the bark, called lenticels. This process of breathing goes on in the tree day and night but assimilation takes place only in the daylight.

LIMITING FRAME HOUSES

The suggestion of placing a limit in the suburban districts of New York outside of the fire limits within which frame construction will be restricted to detached dwellings appears to be meeting with considerable favor. Reports from the boroughs affected show that many of the real estate operators as well as the residents approve of the project and the feeling is quite general that all sections of the city in which development of any kind has started might very properly be included. In view of this general sentiment the outlines for the suburban limits have been drawn to include large areas where heretofore there was no restriction.

COLONIAL AND BUNGALOW STYLE

PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH



INTERIOR VIEW—LIVING ROOM

The interior view shows the end of the living room, which runs the full width of the house. The fireplace has art glass windows on each side. The breast of the fireplace is constructed with a six inch square and dull glazed tile with large joints. The color of the mortar can be either black, gray or white. The hearth of the fireplace is made of the same material as the breast. Above the breast of the fireplace is heavy wood mantel shelf, with three 6-inch face brackets under it. This makes the front of the fireplace massive. Size, 26 feet wide by 28 feet deep, exclusive of the front porch. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, $3200.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending April 2

LOWELL

Annette Stewart to Nellie S. White, land and buildings corner May and Thirteenth streets.

Franklin D. Russell et ux., to Patrick F. Mahoney, land on Parkview avenue.

Dionysios A. Sakellarois et ux. to Patrick F. Mahoney, land and buildings on Mammoth road.

Patrick F. Mahoney et ux., to Dionysios A. Sakellarios, land and buildings on Lakeview avenue and passageway.

Honore Blanchard et ux., to Jacques Boisvert, land and buildings on Ferry lane.

Desire Ducharme et ux to Jacques Boisvert, land and buildings on Carolyn street.

Peter A. Paradis et ux. to James McArdle et ux., land and buildings on East Pine and Nichols streets and passageway.

Fred W. Wood et al, trs., to Alfred Perrout, land on Wollaston street.

Edwin P. Stone and as exor., to George C. Stone et al, land on Wilder street.

Arthur W. Huguley et ux., to Chas. P. Witham, land on Putnam avenue.

Walter H. Redman et al, to John H. Redman, land on Beacon street.

John H. Redman et al, to Francis M. Qua, land on Beacon street.

Francis M. Qua to John H. Redman et al, land on Beacon street.

Katie E. Mears et al, to Ellen M. Marshall, land and buildings on Nineteenth street.

Roxanna Pullen to David Shapiro et ux., land and buildings on Royal st.

David Benjamin Oliver et ux., to John J. Conlon, land on Townsend avenue.

David Benjamin Oliver et ux., to John J. Conlon, land on Melrose avenue.

Ellen F. Gardner et al, to Flora Hartwell Sprague, land and buildings on Pine street.

Flora Hartwell Sprague to Theodore F. Gardner et al, land and buildings on Pine street.

Susan J. Fahey et al, to William J. Fahey, land and buildings on Central street.

Esrel Greenberg et ux., to Gertrude I. Brams, land and buildings corner Lane street and passageway.

Joseph B. V. Coburn et al, to Hugo P. Dick, land and buildings on Varnum avenue.

Mary A. Cooney et al, to Charles W. Swan's tr., land and buildings on Olive and Congress streets and Congress avenue.

Harriet F. Shirley et al, to Mary A. Cheney, land and buildings on Gorham and Olive streets.

Kenneth D. McKinnon et ux., to Edmund P. Brooks, land and buildings on Morton street and Mission place.

Charles F. Devine et al, to Annie J. Devine, land and buildings on Carlisle street.

BILLERICA

James E. Burke tr. to Addie Mansfield, land on Pinehurst avenue.

James E. Burke tr. to Harriet Monahan, land at The Pines.

Fred M. Barney et ux to James F. Owens, land on road to Wilmington.

Jacob W. Wilbur et ux to J. W. Wilbur Co., Inc., Boston land.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Elizabeth Baybitt, land at Nuttings Lake park.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to John J. Hellcen, land at Nuttings Lake park annex.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Lillian G. Hellen, land at Nuttings Lake park annex.

George H. Shields tr. to Edward McDonough et al, land at Nuttings Lake park annex.

James R. Adams to James Graham, land.

Charles A. Ranlett est. by tr. to Mildred F. Conklin, land on Osceola and Sabbatia lanes.

CHELMSFORD

Lillie E. Watt et al, to Dennis Duffy, land on Chelmsford street.

Edmund A. Carll et ux to Lillie E. Watt, land cor Chelmsford street and passageway.

James R. Adams to James Graham, land and buildings.

Wm. F. Gately to James G. Birtwell et al, land on Gorham street.

DRACUT

Jacob W. Wilbur et ux to J. W. Wilbur Co., Inc., Boston, land.

Hiram E. Huse et al, to Central Congregational church, Dracut, land on Delbert street.

Hiram E. Huse et al to S. Elizabeth Parker et al, land on Delbert street.

Town of Dracut to Emily B. Eastman, land on Pleasant street and Aiken avenue.

Reinoldy R. Pauline Rhomberg to Elizabeth J. Polson, land and buildings at Kenwood.

TEWKSBURY

James E. Burke tr. to John Lopes Sardina, land at Mechanics park.

James E. Burke tr. to John Lopes Sardina et als, gdn, land at Mechanics park.

Jacob W. Wilbur et ux to J. W. Wilbur Co., Inc., Boston, land.

John P. Flynn et al to Emma Moller, land on Glenwood and Maplewood avenues and South street.

Grace V. Nickerson to Henderson E. Miller, land on Clyde avenue.

Taylor & Barker Co., Tewksbury, to Avery Chemical Co., Boston, land.

TYNGSBORO

Dolar Larivierre et ux to Harry H. Clark et ux, land on Bancroft street.

WILMINGTON

Edward S. Eaton et ux to Constantinos D. Dimaras, land on Kensington avenue.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Mary Josephine Marcoux, land on Laurel avenue.

Edward S. Eaton et ux to Daniel C. Humphreys et ux, land and buildings on Smith and Burnham streets and Berwick and Cook avenues.

Grace V. Nickerson to Henderson E. Miller, land on Clyde avenue.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Teachers in Chicago's public schools may become mothers without suffering the loss of their positions, but, once mothers, they must stay at home for two years and devote these entirely to the child's interest.

Mrs. Keith Donaldson, once known as the "Million Dollar Bride," is thinking seriously of going on the stage to secure money with which to continue her fight for her daughter, who is now in the possession of her mother-in-law.

Mrs. Hortense Ward, of Houston, Texas, who was recently admitted to practice before the United States supreme court, is active in state politics and two years ago led the movement that won separate property rights for women in Texas.

Miss Charlotte Barth, of Denver, who has just won a legal contest for the $6,000,000 estate of her grandfather, has arranged to finance a religious mission in Denver with the object of gathering Jewish converts to the folds of Christianity.

Today, April 3rd, is "Quarter Day" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

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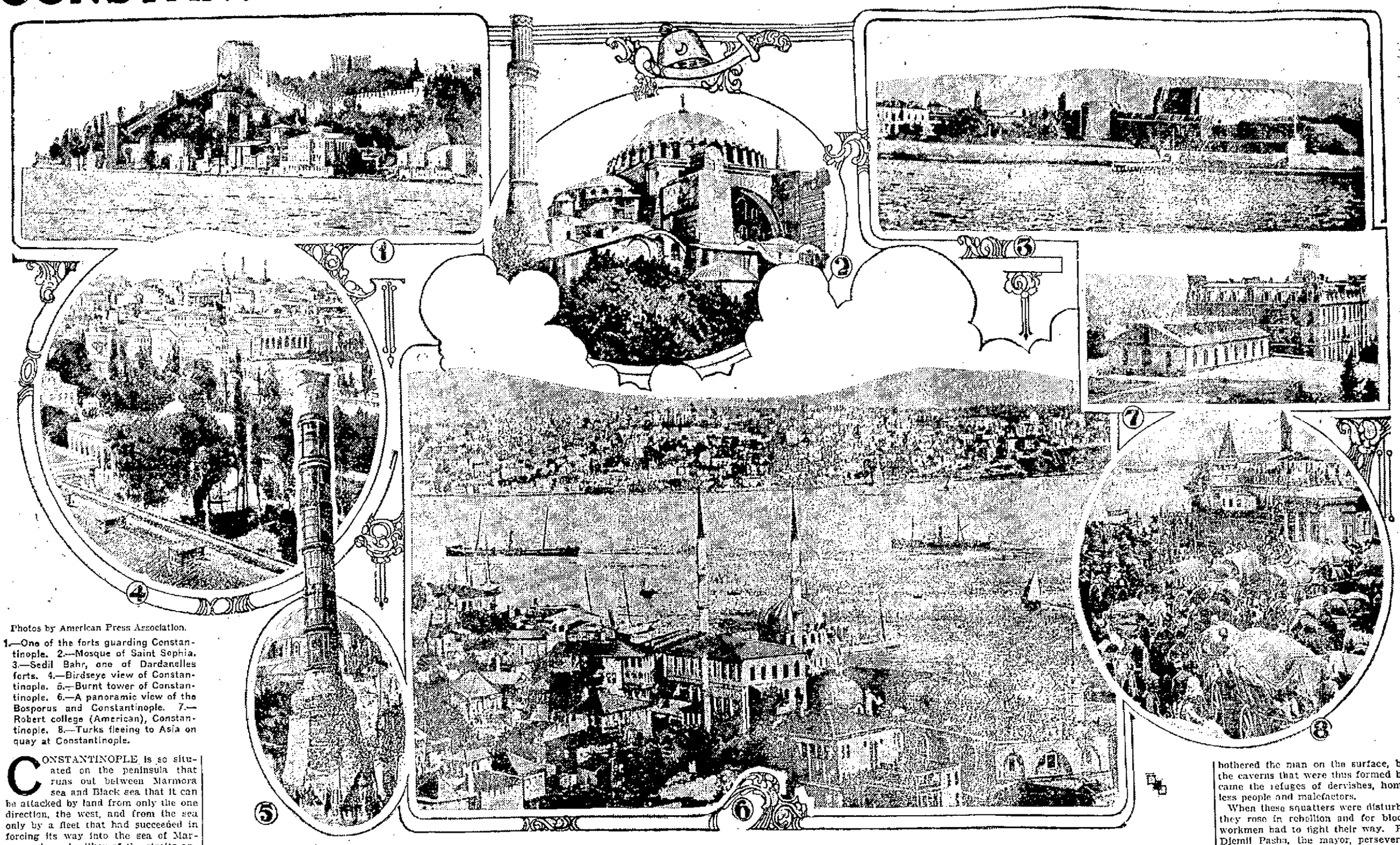
CONSTANTINOPLE OLD IN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATIONS



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1.—One of the forts guarding Constantinople. 2.—Mosque of Saint Sophia. 3.—Sedil Bahr, one of Dardanelles forts. 4.—Birdseye view of Constantinople. 5.—Burnt tower of Constantinople. 6.—A panoramic view of the Bosporus and Constantinople. 7.—Robert college (American), Constantinople. 8.—Turks fleeing to Asia on quay at Constantinople.

CONSTANTINOPLE is so situated on the peninsula that runs out between Marmora sea and Black sea that it can be attacked by land from only the one direction, the west, and from the sea only by a fleet that had succeeded in forcing its way into the sea of Marmora, through either of the straits approaching it. In the possession of Russia or Germany it could be made almost impregnable.

The city is old in historical associations, having been the capital of the eastern Roman empire for over eleven centuries, and since the collapse of that great power the head of the Ottoman empire. Its streets are narrow, but its many mosques, with their peculiar architectural effects of dome and pinnacle, give it a striking and picturesque appearance. Its surface is irregular, it being, like Rome, a city built on seven hills.

Its docks, built under German influence and with German capital, are excellent and afford ample wharfage space for Turkish commerce, although the trade has not been very great.

After the Crimean war, through the treaty of July, 1841, confirmed by the peace of Paris, 1856, it was prescribed that no foreign warship might enter the strait and merchantmen may do so only by day. The climate is very agreeable, except that it is variable, as north winds prevail over the south winds, or are in turn overcome by the mild breezes. The population is nearly a million, made up mostly of Moslems, Greeks, Armenians and Jews, with nearly 150,000 foreigners.

Of course the military object of the allied forces upon Constantinople is to destroy the capital and power of one of the nations waging war against them, but the direct consequence of the occupation of the city will be to open communication with the ports of Russia, and thereby that empire will be able to receive by sea munitions and supplies greatly needed to carry on the war and to release to her allies large supplies of grain, especially wheat, of which there are said to be 200,000,000 bushels ready for export.

Wonderful Changes Wrought.

Of the 140,000,000 inhabitants of the empire over 100,000,000 are in European Russia, and the southern portion of it—that which lies toward the Black and the Caspian seas—is the progressive part.

No place in Europe has undergone such changes in the past few years as Constantinople. The fetters of medievalism that once held it so firmly have been loosened, the quaintness of the old regime that had so strong a fascination for the visitor and charmed and held the resident in spite of the injustice, cruelty and suspicion to which he was subjected has passed. The ancient customs are dying out; the old usages are things of the past.

The parish dogs are gone and the streets have been cleaned, the narrow thoroughfares in many cases being widened, the hamals are giving way to the express carriers and the sedan chairs and the old horse teams are replaced by electric cars. Modernity with all its gifts has crept in and however much the sentimental and artistic deplored the passing of the picturesque Constantinople soon lost its Asiatic character and became as European as any other city of the continent.

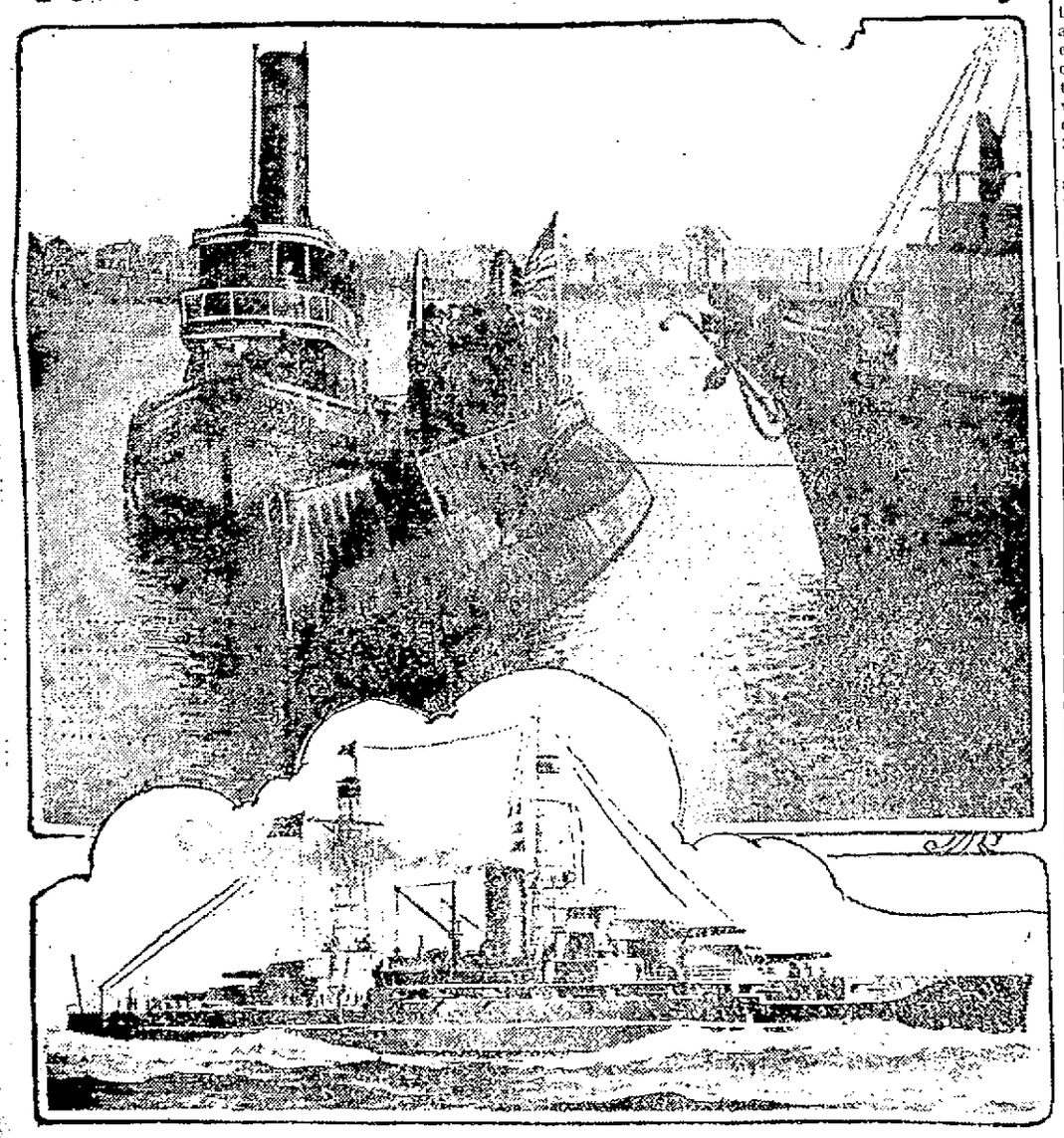
Its pomp and gorgeousness will be missed most of all. Those who remember the selamlik of six years ago will find this great pageant buried, almost forgotten. Mehmed V. went to the mosque on Fridays, as sultans have done for centuries, but he was in a carriage that drove scarcely noticed even by his own subjects as it threaded its way through the streets. Contrast this simple spectacle with the marshaling of troops, the clearing of the thoroughfares by outriders and heralds and the advance of Abdul Hamid in fear and trembling, guarded by thousands of soldiers—contrast these two selamliks and you can have an idea of the change that a few years have brought to the city by the Bosporus.

It was a great task to widen the streets in accordance with the demands of increasing traffic and drastic measures were employed by the committee that had the work in charge. In Stamboul conditions were worse perhaps than in any other part of Constantinople. The ramshackle, devious streets, with now and then a grand mosque, a dingy caravanserai, a crumbling palace or a desolate garden, covered the grandeur and luxury of a past age. Again and again every district had been swept by fire, and the houses that were put up over the ruins grew more and more miserable after each conflagration. The Turks simply smoothed the ground and rebuilt. Beneath might be the halls of a mansion of the great age, disclosed now and then by the subsidence of the earth. It never bothered the man on the surface, but the caverns that were thus formed became the refuges of dervishes, homeless people and malefactors.

When these squatters were disturbed they rose in rebellion and for blocks workmen had to fight their way. But Djemil Pasha, the mayor, persevered. He demolished old eyesores, he built new streets, and he laid out attractive public parks. To create the largest and most beautiful of these breathing places for the people he transformed the gardens of the famous Töpkapou palace at Seraglio point into a park with fountains and promenades.

Formerly the only society of Constantinople was that of the diplomatic world. With the new regime came more social interchange among the people themselves. To such receptions as there were in the old regime in Stamboul the ladies were generally carried in sedan chairs. The hamals waited in the courtyards, often spending their time tinkering at their ancient chairs. Some of these old sedans had served for centuries.

Powerful Additions to Uncle Sam's Navy



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Launching of the L-1 (top) and new battleship Pennsylvania.

EVERY year sees some powerful additions to the navy of Uncle Sam. The latest additions are the submarine L-1, the largest underwater vessel thus far built for the United States navy, and the super-Dreadnought Pennsylvania.

The L-1 was launched at the yards of the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation and is one of seven vessels of the same type which have been authorized. She registers 450 tons and measures 165 feet over all. If contract stipulations are fulfilled she will develop a speed of fourteen knots on the surface and ten knots submerged. Mrs. Elizabeth Scott Daubin, wife of Lieutenant Freeland A. Daubin, who is to be the first commander of the L-1, was chosen to christen the vessel.

The Pennsylvania is one of the most powerful warships in the world. A ship of state truly when one realizes that even her immediate predecessors, the Oklahoma and Nevada, which are admittedly the most perfectly protected ships as yet designed, will be outclassed. The principal dimensions of this ship are: Length over all, 625 feet, with a beam or breadth of 97 feet and a draft of 29 feet on a displacement of 31,000 tons on trial.

The Pennsylvania's armament consists of twelve fourteen-inch guns, which are mounted on four turrets on the center line of the ship, three guns in each turret, thus giving a fore and aft fire of six guns and either broadside of the whole battery (twelve guns), a torpedo defense battery of twenty-two five-inch guns being carried mostly on the main deck about twenty-two feet above the water line, four submerged twenty-one-inch torpedo tubes and numerous machine and quick fire guns.

The armor consists of a main belt eighteen feet deep and fourteen inches in thickness, extending far below the water line and extends the greater part of the whole length of the ship with transverse bulkheads athwartship at either end of the belt. The barbette armor is fourteen inches in thickness, and the sloping port plates of the turrets are eighteen inches thick with a roof of five inch thick armor plate.

The speed of this ship is to be a trifle greater than her predecessors, or about twenty-one knots, obtained by a somewhat enlarged engine and boiler plant, although the fining of the hull lines by the extra forty feet of length will go far to offset the increased load. Another important feature is the larger fuel supply with its resultant radius of action increase.

The building of this ship will be within three years at a minimum cost of $7,260,000 for the hull, machinery and equipment, exclusive of the armor for which the minimum bid is over $3,000,000. To these two figures, making a total of over $10,000,000, must eventually be added the cost of the guns, which will approximate about $1,000,000, thus making the total cost of the vessel over $11,000,000.

Summing up the Pennsylvania as a fighting ship, it can be safely said that as a unit of naval warfare this vessel will outclass numbers of those still to come and for years be the equal of the best.

Since the outbreak of the European war there has been much said about our coast defenses and navy. The United States navy is gradually developing the highest degree of efficiency. Notwithstanding the cry of alarmists, it can safely be said that Uncle Sam's fighting ships can at all times be depended upon to give a good account of themselves.

WILLIAM SCOTT.

Who'll Be Chicago's Next Mayor?

ONE of the hottest municipal campaigns will be brought to a close on Tuesday, April 6, when Chicago will elect a successor to Carter H. Harrison, the present mayor. The two leading candidates are Robert M. Sweitzer, the regular Democratic nominee, and William Hale Thompson, the candidate of the Republican party.

"Three and a half years of idleness and six months of promises!" was one of the campaign slogans of Robert M. Sweitzer as epitomizing the last term of Mayor Harrison, his rival for the Democratic nomination. Mr. Sweitzer voiced the epigram when he was waited on by a delegation representing every precinct of the twenty-first, Mayor Harrison's old home ward. An equally large delegation from the same ward piloted by James A. Quinn, the rival Democratic leader, also waited on Mayor Harrison.

"If I come out a winner in this campaign, as I confidently expect to, you will have somebody in the mayor's office to come in and say 'Hello!' to," said Mr. Sweitzer. "You can come through the door, for it will be always open; also you will get a welcome and not a chill when you get inside, no matter how torrid the temperature is outside.

"You can be sure that every plank in my platform will bear the acid test and that it will be along lines of the best ideas of the city. Thousands of men are walking our streets who want work, not charity. We want a man in the mayor's chair who will start doing things the day he is elected and not make a record of three and a half years of idleness and six months of promises."

Sweitzer went to school only four or five years altogether, yet his vocabulary is much larger than the average, and he speaks easily and correctly. Until his election as county clerk, in 1910, he had had no experience as an executive or administrator, yet his ideas on municipal problems are apparently more carefully thought out and more clearly expressed than those of most of his rivals.

William Hale Thompson, candidate for the Republican nomination for mayor, was born in Boston.

The air of the Hub was doubtless too thin and intellectual for him. Even then he had probably decided not to be a highbrow.

When Thompson, just of age, brought his 225 pounds of hard drawn muscle back to the big town the Chicago Athletic club was in its lusty infancy. Sport Donnelley and other famous college football players were leading members.

They took Thompson, fresh from his cattle camp, into the eleven and taught him all the tricks of the game. He didn't need to be taught how to scrap, which was one of the chief factors of success in those days of rough and manly football. Presently Thompson was made captain of the team, which cleaned up one after the other of the teams representing other athletic clubs and became champions of the United States.

It was in 1900 that he first broke into politics. At that time the Second ward extended from the river to the lake and took in both extremes of society—millionaires' row and the red light district. Thompson wore out two pairs of shoes tramping over the district and won, defeating the popular Charles F. Gunther.

One of Thompson's chief political boasts is that as a member of the city council he introduced and secured the passage of an appropriation for the first of the municipal playgrounds of which Chicago is so proud and in the development of which the city leads the world.

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Robert M. Sweitzer (left) and William Hale Thompson.

THE SPELLBINDER

"I didn't raise my boy to be a soldier,
To junket on the city's needed dough;
To march along with musket on his shoulder,
For which three thousand dollars we must blow.
Let's spend the city funds with more discretion,
Than wasting them upon an empty show.
If the voters had their say,
There'd be no talk today
Of blowing in 3000 on the soldier."

That July 4th Celebration

On Thursday night a man was badly injured in an automobile accident beyond the pumping station on the boulevard. The ambulance responded with all haste and dashed back to the General hospital with the victim, as fast as the horse could travel, but upon its arrival the man was dead. Perhaps had he arrived there a few minutes sooner his life might have been saved. Had he been carried to the hospital in a motor-drawn ambulance, he would have arrived there alive. The city can't afford to purchase an auto ambulance on account of its financial condition, but the $3000 that it proposes to spend upon a military pageant on July 4th would purchase and fully equip an auto ambulance, and there'd be money left over, out of that amount.

Frequently one reads in the newspapers the following: "The ambulance was summoned but the victim died on the way to the hospital."

That $3000 would purchase an auto-ambulance, but then the members of the municipal council would be deprived of the proud privilege of standing upon a reviewing stand with chests extended, to review a grand military pageant.

Last Tuesday in what was supposed to be a conference between the mayor and a committee representing the Federation of Churches, the latter organization submitted a protest against the proposed military pageant on July 4th, advancing three reasons for its opposition. The first two reasons are open to discussion 'pro and con, but there is no doubt as to the validity of the third reason advanced by the ministers, which is as follows: "Our city presents too many needs to warrant the spending of so large a sum as has been voted by your honorable body for a military display. These needs are too evident; too well known to call for enumeration."

The heads of departments and the commissioners themselves have been crying for more money for needed repairs and improvements; the unemployed have been crying for an opportunity to earn a living, but to no avail, on account of the city's financial condition, and into the bargain the taxpayers have been crying against the highest tax rate in history with little to show for it. Yet the municipal council proposes to spend $3000 and probably more, on a one-day show, which, while interesting, is not worth the expenditure under the existing conditions. The fact that the municipal council has voted $3000 for the show does not indicate that $3000 represents all that the city will have to spend on the pageant. At Tuesday's conference Mayor Murphy outlined a plan which figured up a cost of $2700 for the celebration, while Mr. MacBrayne, who represented the militiamen, stated that the show would cost $10,000.

Who is going to meet the balance? Not the militiamen for they are being paid for giving the show. It is almost too much to expect that the merchants of Lowell will contribute $7000 for a celebration that is to be held on a day when their stores will be closed. And the city can't afford to have it said that the big city of Lowell authorized a military pageant and failed to meet the expenses thereof.

As yet the promoters of the celebration have offered no explanation of how they are to run a $10,000 show on an appropriation of $3000. The municipal commissioners may not care how it is to be done, but the taxpayers care and the merchants care.

Where is all this additional money coming from?

Is it to be the same old story over again; after the cheering has died away, like Jones of old, will the taxpayer pay the freight?

Assuming that the promoters of the event are able to finance a $10,000 celebration to the extent of $7000, why not make it a $7000 affair and exempt the city from any expense. The ordinary citizen couldn't tell the difference between a military blowout costing $7000 and one that costs $10,000.

If the promoters of the event have $7000 to spend on a celebration why not hold one for that amount complimentary to the city of Lowell?

How Money Could Be Spent

One week ago Thursday The Spellbinder, referring to the proposed celebration, showed how that $3000 could be better spent, enumerating several instances. The Courier-Citizen, which recently has come around to The Sun's way of thinking on the matter, evidently read the article for in yesterday's issue of that paper were several more instances along the same line, among them being the following:

"$3000 will give work to 100 men for two weeks, at a wage of two dollars a day.

"$3000 will lay 1000 feet of 12-inch sewer pipe at a depth of nine and a half feet.

"$3000 will buy about 81,000 four-inch paving blocks which will cover 2700 square yards of pavement.

"$3000 will pay for the laying of 850 square yards of granite block paving, reckoning at $3.77 a square yard.

"$3000 will lay 3700 square yards of tar macadam on an old base.

"$3000 will give to the park department the sum it asked for playgrounds, whereas it was voted but $1500 this year.

"$3000 will install an electrically propelled elevator at city hall, making it unnecessary to keep coal fires burning the year round to operate it.

"$3000 will pay for additional nurses to be attached to the health department.

"$3000 will take care of many Lowell patients at Rutland and other tuberculosis sanitoria.

"$3000 will purchase six pairs of horses for the street department, allowing the broken down ones to go to Red Acre farm.

"$3000 will pay interest at the rate of 5 per cent on $60,000, and the city has several times $60,000 borrowed on which interest will fall due this year."

Municipal Ingratitude

There are two instances on record at the present time in which the city of Lowell is convicted of the sin of gross ingratitude, namely the neglect of Shedd park and the use of the John Davis fund to meet the running expenses of the city library. The city of Lowell promised in accepting Shedd park that it would spend money annually on the improvement of the land, that being the condition under which the gift was made. Now that Mr. Shedd is dead and can't protest, the city appropriates only money enough to meet the letter of that condition. This year it appropriated a measly $500 for the improvement of the park, a mere drop in the bucket, simply to be able to swear if called upon to do so that it did make an appropriation for the improvement of the gift. The amount of work that will be done with $500 will not be noticeable upon its completion even to the keenest observer.

Then there's the Davis fund. None will deny that our library is being run with the strictest economy, and yet the city is guilty of using a trust fund bequeathed to it for a specific purpose for another purpose. City Librarian Chase has earnestly and eloquently set forth the needs of the library without avail, while the Davis fund has been used regardless of the conditions of the bequest.

And yet the city which cannot afford to respect the wishes of its deceased benefactors can afford to blow in $3000 on a needless pageant. That $3000 would help considerably, if divided between the library and Shedd park.

Of course dead men don't vote. But how is the city to expect any bequests in the future when the donors of the future contemplate the city's ungrateful behavior toward those of the past?

The city has so many crying needs that one would think the municipal council wouldn't dare to appropriate so much money for a one-day celebration.

Looked Like a Frame-Up"

When The Sun asked Rev. Dr. Ferrin a few days ago for what purpose the conference with the mayor had been called by the Federation of Churches, the reverend gentleman stated that as the meeting was a conference, the federation didn't feel at liberty to give out any advance information. Undoubtedly this was done out of courtesy to His Honor, the other party to the conference. But upon their arrival at the mayor's office the clergymen were much surprised to find present a representative of the militiamen, armed with a lengthy statement replying to their protest, even before they had made known its details. They had requested a conference with the mayor, but instead were subjected to a severe scolding by Mr. MacBrayne, representing the militia, and were placed in the same category with the I. W. W., the anarchists and others of a godless and unpatriotic nature.

One of Mr. MacBrayne's principal reasons for the celebration was that Lowell would be more widely advertised than it has been for five years. In view of the fact that already it has been advertised throughout the commonwealth as having one of the highest tax rates in the state, the widespread publication of the additional fact that it intends to keep that tax rate in the air by blowing in $3000 on a one-day celebration, may not be the kind of advertising that pays, that the city needs or desires.

But the ministers are still wondering how it came to pass that Mr. MacBrayne was present with a prepared answer to their protest when nobody knew what they were there for but the mayor.

Principal Irish's Object Lesson

Knowing as an educator, the force of teaching by object-lesson, Principal Irish at Thursday's "Lowell day" exercises at the High school couldn't resist the temptation to spring one on the municipal council, through Mayor Murphy, who was present. There were several hundred pupils who couldn't get into the exercises and Principal Irish after His Honor had spoken, expressed his regret that there were between 500 and 600 pupils who had been unable to attend on account of the limited accommodations. "We need a new high school," said Principal Irish. "Is there any doubt about it, Mr. Murphy?"

Appointment of Lieut. Duncan

The appointment of Sergeant Alexander Duncan to the vacant lieutenancy in the police department without doubt gives perfect satisfaction to everybody outside of the police department and probably to most everybody within the department. It was an excellent appointment for the case was one in which His Honor couldn't do otherwise than make a good selection, for he had three good men from whom to select. Under the circumstances he did the very best thing; took the man at the top of the list, and there can be no adverse criticism of the appointment.

And now, who is to get the position of sergeant made vacant by the promotion of Lieutenant Duncan?

The present eligible list for sergeant comprises George B. Palmer, William Wilson, Samuel E. Bigelow and Thomas E. Riley, all "good boys," who took the examination nearly two years ago, when Former Mayor O'Donnell had an appointment to make. If His Honor decides to he may appoint at once from the present list but if he waits a few weeks another examination will be necessary as the 2-year limit for eligible lists will have expired and these men will be required to take the examination again in order to get on the new list. The examination for sergeant two years ago was taken under unusual circumstances. Former Mayor O'Donnell had an appointment to make and his expressed choice was Patrolman James Holland. An examination was called by the civil service commission as at that time there was no list in existence. Before it took place, however, word was sent around by the patrolmen themselves that as the mayor desired to appoint Patrolman Holland, it would be a courteous act toward His Honor not to compete against Patrolman Holland in the examination. As a result when the examinations were held, the only men to take it, were Sergt. Petrie, Patrolman Holland and the four men whose names are now on the list, where ordinarily nearly every patrolman in the department would have taken it. Patrolman Holland passed successfully and was about to be appointed when the civil service commission discovered an omission in his application and his name was stricken from the eligible list, and Sergt. Petrie subsequently was appointed. Thus while the men who took the examination had a perfect right to take it, regardless of whom the mayor wished to appoint, and are legally entitled to the position they hold on the list, the list as it stands with only four names in a field of considerably over 100, does not fairly represent the number of men really eligible for promotion, and under the "equal rights for all; special privileges to none" theory, His Honor should give all the men in the department an opportunity to compete for the promotion. Of course, if he intends to promote one of the four now on, he can do so if he acts quickly, as the present list holds good for a few few weeks longer.

The Petrie Decision

Two railwaymen met in front of The Sun building, Wednesday, and the following dialogue took place:

"The mayor has given out his decision."

"That so?" "When?"

"This noon."

"Written?"

"No, rotten!"

Of course, the speaker referred to the subject matter of His Honor's decision rather than its composition, for the decision was a disappointment to the railwaymen, though not entirely unexpected. The decision was forecasted two weeks ago by The Spellbinder. His Honor omitted notifying The Sun of the decision, but The Sun was the first to present it to the public, nevertheless, while despite the fact that Daniel J. Donahue, Esq., was counsel for Sergt. Petrie, that gentleman received his first information concerning it from The Sun. From what one hears from the street railwaymen, speaking as individuals, the incident does not close with the mayor's decision.

THE SPELLBINDER.

CROWN BISMARCK'S WORK

KAISER SAYS GOD'S GRACE AND WILL TO WIN GUARANTEE GERMANY'S VICTORY

AMSTERDAM, via London, April 3.—Replying to a telegram from the imperial chancellor, the emperor sent the following dispatch from army headquarters:

"Your message concerning the stirring celebration in honor of Bismarck has rejoiced me greatly. I would with great pleasure attend personally to do homage to the great chancellor and lay on the steps of the monument, amidst the representatives of the empire and the people, a token of his reverence for the man who in this present earnest time is especially dear to us as the personification of German strength and determination; but my duty to the armed German people is to hold out in the field in order to protect and strengthen the empire's power abroad.

"We shall succeed. Our guarantee is, firstly, God's grace; secondly, the unanimous will to achieve victory which inspires us all, and our solemn vow to make every sacrifice for the fatherland, which has been tested by facts.

"The spirit of unity, which has enabled our men in the battlefield to overcome everything that divided us, will, I confidently hope, outlast the din of war, and after victory has been gained will rightly bless and promote the internal development of the empire.

"Then, as the fruit of duty, life will spring up in which the German nationality will have full and free expansion. The proud work for which Bismarck laid the foundation will be crowned."

KILLED HER SISTER

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 3.—The shooting of Glenna Wheeler, a girl of 10 years, by her 12-year-old sister Florence at their home in Hyde Park became known here yesterday.

The accident occurred Thursday while the children were alone in the house. Florence said that she and her sister were playing with her father's rifle.

She pointed it at Glenna and pulled the trigger, not knowing that the weapon was loaded. The child was shot through the heart and died instantly.

GIRLS WANT TO COMPETE

NEW YORK, April 3.—Many girl athletes, it was learned today, have made application to the Amateur Athletic union headquarters in this city for permission to register and to take part in the Boston and other Marathon races to be held this spring. The applicants argued that if girl swimmers were allowed to register the same privilege should be given to the runners, but they were informed that the athletic authorities would not sanction the participation of women in running events.

PELLETIER STILL ALIVE

Louis Pelletier, who was injured in the automobile accident on the boulevard Thursday night in which his brother, Theodore, was killed, is still in a critical condition at the Lowell General hospital.

SLEEPYTIME TALES

BY VIRGINIA VALE

FOR THE LITTLE READERS OF THE SUN

DANCE OF THE RAINDROPS

Once upon a time the raindrops decided to have a dancing party such as had never been given before. The snowdrops, their great rivals in winter, had departed, driven away by the sun king so the raindrops knew they would not be interfered with until next winter.

The sun king had given his permission for the dance and had promised to stay in one whole day, as he knew his hot rays would spoil the dance.

One day all the raindrops gathered above the very place you live and the dance began. They didn't need any outside music for each raindrop made his own as he came down from the clouds. Each drop was all shiny and round, all in their best clothes.

They all danced alone and all over the sidewalks, the streets, and the roofs they splashed and danced and frolicked until they got so tired they just lay quiet and slept. Of course they didn't lie on the sidewalks or streets as they might get stepped on and killed, so as they went to sleep they melted all up into tiny silvery streams and rolled off into the deep gutter where they went altogether singing as they went, to the sewer and so into the sea.

That was not the end of them, however, for the sun king drew them up from the sea into their cloud homes again where they immediately began to arrange for another party in a few days.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To Frank A. Drew, of Chelmsford, in said County of Middlesex, and to his heirs apparent or presumptive, and to the State Board of Insanity.

Whereas, a petition for guardianship has been presented to said Court, by Clara J. Drew and Ernest C. Bartlett, alleging that said Frank A. Drew is an insane person, and incapable of taking care of himself, and praying that Clara J. Drew of said Chelmsford, or some other suitable person, may be appointed his guardian, agreeably to the law in such case made and provided.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in and for said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of April, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why a guardian should not be appointed as aforesaid.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to cause you to be notified of the time and place appointed for the hearing of said complaint, by serving said Frank A. Drew and said State Board of Insanity, with a copy of this order, seven days at least before said Court; and by mailing to said heirs apparent or presumptive at the last known post office address of each, a copy of the same, fourteen days at least before said Court, or instead of said mailing, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
M27-A3-10

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Annie F. Merriam, late of Billerica, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Arthur W. Merriam, of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of April, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
M27-A3-10

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

To the Honorable the Municipal Council of the City of Lowell:

Respectfully represents, the Bay State Street Railway Company:

That it owns and operates street railway tracks in the City of Lowell, and that public necessity and convenience require certain alterations of locations and relocations thereof.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner, as such Street Railway Company, prays for alterations of locations and relocations of its tracks in said Lowell, as follows:

In Rogers Street, from a point 200 feet west of Nesmith Street to a point approximately 1150 feet east of Boylston Street, including the necessary changes in the double-track branch-off leading to Laurel Street;

In Nesmith street, from Rogers Street approximately 200 feet westerly;

On Gorham Street, between Maple and Fay streets;

Together with such switches, curves and cross connections as may be necessary or convenient for the operation of the cars of said Company; and to erect all necessary additional poles and make all necessary changes in existing poles, wires and other appliances connected therewith, all substantially as shown on plan to be filed with this petition, and that it be granted the right to operate said tracks with electricity as the motive power.

Bay State Street Railway Company.
By P. F. Sullivan, President.

Lowell, Mass., March 29, 1915.

ART IS THE HANDMAID OF HUMAN GOOD
LOWELL

On the foregoing petition the Municipal Council of the City of Lowell will give a hearing at their room, City Hall, Tuesday, April 20, 1915, at 11 o'clock a. m.

By order of the Municipal Council,
STEPHEN FLYNN, Clerk.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.	Portland Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
5.43	6.50	2.55	5.28	6.25	7.30	z6.20	8.06
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8.32	10.53	7.11	8.21	8.32	10.53	12.00	11.53
10.47	12.07	8.50	8.55	10.47	12.07	1.50	12.55
12.02	1.13	b8.21	9.29	12.02	1.13	3.30	4.40
z1.27	2.40	9.00	9.39	z1.27	2.40	5.14	6.12
3.40	4.41	11.30	12.00	3.40	4.41	6.03	7.55
5.15	6.13	12.20	1.09	5.15	6.13	7.00	9.13
7.25	8.35	3.05	3.46	7.25	8.35	9.50	11.00
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11.03	11.45	4.00	4.38				
12.15	1.05	b4.14	5.34				
1.45	2.25	5.00	5.38				
2.30	3.27	b5.21	6.32				
3.49	4.30	5.38	6.24				
4.20	5.27	b5.51	7.14				
5.31	6.25	6.14	7.24				
b5.17	7.22	8.00	8.38				
6.22	7.03	8.30	9.08				
8.06	8.50	10.30	11.38				
9.46	10.30	11.40	12.36				

Sunday Trains

Southern Division				Portland Division			
8.47	7.30	8.45	9.47				
7.21	8.05	9.30	10.03				
8.30	9.56	11.30	12.09				
9.46	9.55	1.00	1.50				
10.30	11.17	6.30	6.24				
2.42	3.25	6.00	8.33				
5.10	6.00	8.30	9.03				
6.27	7.10	9.30	10.25				
8.03	8.56	10.30	11.25				
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GERMAN LINES CAN BE PIERCED

Movements When Way Was Open Declares British Observer

French Attacks at Perthes Helped British AttackNeuveChapelle

LONDON, April 3.—The official British observer with the French army compares in his latest report, which was issued last night, the results achieved by the French offensive in Champagne with the objects with which the operations were undertaken.

The objects, he says, were to keep a constant pressure on the German first line defenses, in order to effect the use by the Germans of the railway from Bazancourt to Challerange, and to wear down their reserves of men and ammunition.

"As regards the first object," says the report, "the pressure continued for 31 days, with the result that the enemy has lost the fortified area which he had been holding and continually strengthening for five months.

"His use of the Challerange and Bazancourt line had not been materially affected, for, although at certain points it is within range of the French guns, he can, without difficulty, continue to run the trains required for the maintenance of the corps on that part of the front, and the junction at Challerange is secure.

"No Central German Reserves"

"The using up of his reserves has been achieved in a very marked manner. At the beginning of the operation there were some 18 regiments in that part of the line. At its conclusion 33 have been identified.

"Fifteen that had been called up to withstand the French offensive were drawn from many parts of the German line, which indicates that the enemy has no central reserves that he can call up in case of an emergency.

"As regards ammunition: The German artillery has practised economy, which is unusual with them. On many days they made no effort to keep down the fire of the French guns, although this meant heavier losses for their infantry in the trenches.

"This showed clearly that their supply of ammunition was not all that they could have wished, and an extra expenditure may well have made itself felt in the amount available on all parts of the German front.

Helped Russia to Meet Attacks

"Two valuable lessons, therefore, have been learned from these operations. The first is that the German front can be pierced. There were moments both in Champagne and Neuvre Chapelle when the way was open, when nothing more formidable than the weak resistance of sorely-tried troops faced the attackers, and it does not follow because the hole was closed before advantage could be taken of it that this will be the case every time.

"The second lesson learned is that a serious attack on one point has an effect on the enemy's plans and fighting power at every other point. The British attack at Neuve Chapelle ruined the enemy's chances of a big success at St. Eloi. The French attacks at Perthes helped the British attack at Neuve Chapelle, and both these assisted the Russians to withstand the German offensive in the Eastern theatre."

French System of Reserves

Speaking of the inspectors by Gen. Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, of several divisions which had been through the whole of the fighting, the observer says:

"We must not forget that these regiments have had to be brought up to strength, sometimes almost reorganized, after each of their attacks, of which they carried out several during the last 30 days. What we really are looking at is the French system of reinforcements and the system which keeps the army corps not only up to their strength, but up to their full standard of fighting efficiency. It is one which plainly is answering well.

"There is an idea in many circles that France has a number of army corps or divisions somewhere in the background ready to be thrown into the fighting when the great day of victory is at hand. This idea should be dismissed. The army corps of France are all fighting and her reserves will enable them to keep fighting, and fighting hard, so long as the war continues."

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Bill for Emergency Hospital Rooms Refused Third Reading

Supreme Court to Consider Constitutionality of an Income Tax

BOSTON, April 3.—In the state senate yesterday the bill requiring manufacturers who employ 25 persons or more to establish emergency hospital rooms on their premises for treatment of injured, or ill employes was refused a third reading, 14 to 17.

The resolve for an investigation by the state board of education as to the advisability of Massachusetts preparing, compiling and publishing its free text books was rejected without debate or division.

The Boston school teachers' pension bills were put over to Wednesday, as was also the "pony express" liquor transportation bill for no-license cities and towns.

All rules were suspended and the resolve to pay John E. Abbott, since 1895 clerk of senate rules, $1200 annuity received its several readings, was engrossed and sent down for enactment. They were also suspended to pass the bill to allow Watertown to borrow $73,000 to construct a schoolhouse. It was engrossed and sent to the house.

Senator Gordon of Springfield obtained the substitution of a resolve for an adverse report to pay Asa K. Patten of that city $12,000 for injuries received by a defect in the Charles river esplanade. The legislature adjourned to 2 o'clock on Monday.

Brief on Income Tax

Ex-Representative John A. Curtin and Alexander Whiteside, counsel for the Massachusetts Tax association, asked the legislative committee on taxation yesterday morning to transmit to the supreme court a supplementary brief for consideration by the court in constitutionality of an income tax. The brief is for the affirmative.

Arthur D. Hill, counsel for the Boston Real Estate Exchange, was present but offered no objection to the transmission of the brief, and after a short hearing the committee voted to transmit the brief.

The supreme court has had under consideration for a week income tax legislation submitted by the legislature with an order requiring its opinion as to the constitutionality of the same.

Name New Police Chief

Governor Walsh said yesterday afternoon that he hopes to announce next week the appointment of a chief of the state police to succeed Maj-Gen. Jophanus H. Whitney, who died Sunday. Under the law the selection must be made from the present force.

Made as a Test Case

The question of the right of the Boston Transit commission to employ laborers who are not citizens at the Cypress street yards, So. Boston, was brought before Judge Logan of the South Boston court yesterday, the complainant being Edward F. Wallace, representing the state board of labor and industries.

The complaint is that the Transit commission employs non-citizens, in violation of chapter 600, Acts of 1914. Judge Logan took the matter under advisement.

The Cypress street yard is used for the storage of brick and other construction materials and for making cement forms. There is also a machine shop there.

Commissioner of Labor Edwin Mulready and B. Leighton Beal, secretary of the Transit commission, said yesterday that the question at issue has been a matter of friendly controversy for some time, and has been brought into court in order to get a judicial decision as to whether the Transit commission in its attitude is within the law or not.

The complainant claims that the Transit commission is obliged by law to employ citizens when they are available.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 456 Merrimack street.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At last evening's meeting of Wamesit lodge, 25, K. of P. two applications for membership were received and referred to the investigation committee. A communication from the grand lodge was read by the keeper of records and seals and acted upon. The sick committee reported that Brothers Belle-Isle and Pube, who have been ill, are much better and able to resume work. It was announced that the lodge will work the rank of knight on five esquires next Friday evening.

Eirene Lodge, L. O. G. T.

At the regular meeting of Eirene lodge, L. O. G. T., held at the home of Mrs. Sadie Warren, Kenwood, the following delegates were elected to the annual session of Merrimack Valley district lodge: F. E. McLean, G. F. Tilton, Jr., and Helen S. Lester. A committee was also appointed to make arrangements for a public meeting and concert to be held in Veritas hall on Thursday evening, April 29. Following the business session there were songs by Mrs. Ina Mountford and Miss Maud M. Mountford. Refreshments were served.

When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohue, Donovan bldg. Telephone.

GREAT EASTER FESTIVAL

Continued

violin, piano and organ.
Processional Hymn: Jesus Christ is Risen Today.
Introit Anthem: Benedictus in A, Mrs. H. H. A. Beach.
Responses to the Commandments and Gloria Tibi in F.....Stainer
Sermon Hymn: Come Ye Faithful.
Offertory Anthem: .....H. W. Parker
Light's Glittering Morning Bedecks the Sky.
Sanctus in F .....Gounod
Communion Hymn: At the Lamb's High Feast.
Gloria in Excelsis .....Old Chant
Recessional Hymn: The Day of Resurrection.
Postlude—Finale—Bartlett.
Carol service at 6.30.
Music by the Sunday school of the church.
Mr. Charles F. Brown, organist and choirmaster.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Processional Hymn, Jesus Christ Is Risen Today .....Morgan
Anthem, Christ Our Passover, ... Beethoven
Gloria Patri .....Beethoven
Te Deum in Key of B Minor..D. Buck
Jubilate Deo .....Fairclough
Hymn, "The Day of Resurrection," ..... Tours
Kyrie ..... Woodward
Gloria Tibi .....Tuckerman
Offertory Anthem: God Hath Appointed a Day .....Tours
Sanctus Hymn: And Now, O Father, Mindful of the Love.....Mowle
Recessional Hymn: At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing.....Rosenmüller

ST. LOUIS'

Solemn High Mass at 9.30

Processional—Organ and orchestra
Introit—Resurrexi ..... Gregorian
Kyrie ..... Blasel
Gloria ..... Blasel
Credo ..... Blasel
Offertory
Haec Dies ..... Hammerel
Soloists: Clemence Simard and Isaie Michaud.
Sanctus ..... Blasel
Agnus Dei ..... Blasel
Recessional—Organ and orchestra
Soloists at mass: Misses Clemence Simard, Alice Pratte, Benrnadette Fontaine and Eva Dupuis; Isaie Michaud, Arcolle Brunelle, Urgele Favreau and O. J. David. Miss Ida Mongrain, organist, and O. J. David, choirmaster.

FIRST TRINITARIAN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Morning 10.30

Anthem, Awake, Thou That Sleepest Simper
Senior choir
Anthem, From Thy Love as a Father, From the Redemption by Gounod
Senior choir with solo by Miss Eva Henderson
Anthem by Junior choir
Song and recitations by beginners' department of Sunday school.
12 m. Graded Sunday school. Brief opening exercises and lesson and general assembly in vestry at 12.35. Contest announcements and Easter dedication service.
4 p. m. Special service addressed by Dr. Emrich, secretary of Home Missionary society in English and Dr. Hajjar of Lawrence in Arabic for Syrian and other peoples understanding this language.
5.45 C. E. Topic, In the Face of Triumph or Disaster, What? Leader, Mr. Lockhart.
7 p. m. Evening worship with sermon, The Double Victory of Christ and the Christian, of Soul and Body, over Sin and Death, in Life and Through Death.
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Seats free, all services. Strangers welcome.

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Morning Service, 10.30

Organ prelude, Resurrection Morn, Johnson
Doxology, Apostles' Creed, Congregation standing
Anthem, Unfold, Ye Portals, from the Redemption.
Prayer and response
Anthem, The Dawn of Easter Junior choir
Responsive reading and Gloria, Congregation standing.
Scripture reading
Anthem, As it Began to Dawn, Vincent
Offertory, Adio .....Bohm
Hymn
Sermon, "Emancipation from the Fear of Death,"
Hymn
Benediction
Postlude, Hosanna .....Wachs
Large junior choir, Mrs. C. F. Richardson, leader.
Adult chorus, 30 voices, Peter Picken, director.
Organist, Charles V. Barker.
Sunday school concert at 6 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. J. M. Craig, Pastor

Morning, 10.30

Organ voluntary, St. Cecelia...Batiste
Anthem, Herald the Story, Junior Choir
Miss Edith E. Haines, Director
Scripture reading
Hymn
Prayer
Anthem, What Say the Bells? Junior Choir
Offertory ..... Tucker
Hymn
Sermon, "The Rending of the Veil."
Anthem, Glad Easter Day, Choir

Evening at 7

Organ voluntary .....Mendelssohn
Hymn
Reading of Scriptures
Anthem, Christ Is Risen.....Adams
Prayer
Anthem, Easter Bells.....Rosmon
Offertory
Sermon, "No Resurrection, No Christianity."
Hymn
Organist, Miss Minnie Tucker.
Geo. F. Maguire, director.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Morning at 10.30

Easter service. Sermon, "The Great Hope."
The following elaborate musical program will be rendered by the full choir, assisted by Mr. William Daley, violinst of Boston.
Organ Voluntary .....Godard
Mr. Daley and Mrs. Taylor
Anthems:
I Heard a Great Voice.....Mansey
As It Began To Dawn.....Ambrose
O Risen Lord .....Fisher
Violin Obligato
Response, The Buds Are Bursting on the Trees .....Warren
Offertory Solo, Sanctus.....Gounod
Mr. Daley
Jesus Christ Is Risen .....Neidlinger
Postlude .....Lemmens
Sunday school in the auditorium at 12. The choir and Mr. Daley will assist.
Communion and reception of members at 4.30.

PAWTUCKET CHURCH

Morning at 10.30

Organ prelude, Toccata in D...Kinder
Anthem, Christ Is Risen.....Marshall
Solo, Resurrection Day .....Huhn
Mrs. A. T. Howe
Carol, Ring the Joyful Bells.....Hosmer
Organ offertory, In Springtime, Kinder
Carols:
(a) Sweet the Bells are Ringing Sharpen
(b) Sweet and Clear the Bells are Singing .....Bullen
Anthem, I Know That My Redeemer Lives .....Vincent
Organ postlude, Hosanna .....Wachs
Music by the chorus choir of the church and the junior choir, Sidney R. Fleet, organist and director.

Evening at 6

Easter Sunday school concert under the direction of Superintendent Charles F. Miles.

CENTRALVILLE M. E. CHURCH

Rev. W. Earl Pittenger, Pastor
J. Edward Leith, organist; Frank R. Hutchinson, violinist; E. W. Killpartrick, musical director.

Morning at 10.30

Prelude, Adoration (from The Holy City) .....Gaul
Anthem, As It Began to Dawn..Stults
Chorus choir, with soprano solo by Miss Laura Callahan
Response, Why Seek Ye the Living Trowbridge
Quartet
Tenor solo, Alleuia! He Is Risen Neidlinger
Mr. Edwin W. Killpartrick
With violin obligato
Offertory, Minuet ..... Beethoven
Sermon, Christ's Message of Immortality, Pastor
Postlude, March .....Guirand

Evening at 6.30

Easter concert by the Sunday school.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST

Prelude—Adagio Pathetique ...Godard
Violin and Organ
Anthems:
I Heard a Great Voice .....Mansey
As It Began to Dawn .....Ambrose
O Risen Lord (violin obligato) Fisher
Christ Is Risen .....Turner
Response—The Buds Are Bursting on the Trees ..... Warren
Offertory: Sanctus (violin solo) Gounod
Mr. William L. Daley
Choir: Mrs. Winifred Flagg Symonds, soprano; Mrs. Nettie L. Roberts, alto; Mr. Fred Booth, tenor; Mr. Harry Needham, bass; Mrs. Helen C. Taylor, organist and director; assisted by Mr. William L. Daley, violinist, Boston.

FIRST BAPTIST

Rev. Arthur Crawley Archibald pastor.
10.30 a. m.
Organ prelude, "Old Hundred"...Eddy
Hymn 137
Chorus, "He is Risen,".....Gadsby
Hymn 152.
Duet, "The Magdalene,".....Farren
Sermon, "Spiritual Sublimity of Baptism and Easter"
Quartet, "Alleluia," .....Humphries
Baptism
6.30 p. m.
Organ recital—
1 March .....Wagner
2 Meditation .....LeGarde
3 Grand chorus .....Dubois
4 March .....Gounod
Chorus, "O Light from Yonder Tomb," Dressler
Bass solo, "Resurrection Morn," Rodney
Quartet, "The Lily of the Valley" E. E. Adams
Sermon, "Real Trail Hitters"
Baptism.
Benedictory service.

KIRK STREET CONG. CHURCH

C. A. Lincoln, Pastor.

10.30 a. m. Morning Worship. Special Easter Music
Organ prelude: Fantasie .....Tours
Easter Carol: Let the Merry Church Bells Ring .....Clough-Leiter
Organ Offertory: Gavotte.....Thomas
Anthem: Who Will Roll Us Away the Stone? .....Spence
Soprano Solo: Alleluia.....Humphries
Anthem: Victory .....Shelley
Organ postlude: March.....Faulkes
12 M. Easter Service in the Sunday School:
Processional March
"Welcome," Donald Alexander
"An Easter Dialogue," Woodbury Howard, Wright McAllister
Scripture Reading, The Superintendent
Carol, "Christ Arose," Senior Chorus
Prayer, The Pastor.
Song, Primary Department
"Easter Legends," Helen Carley, John J. Harvey, Jr.
"A Legend Confirmed," Brooke Governs
Song, "Crown the Easter King," Junior Department
"The Legend of the Robin," George Stevens
"What the Bird Sang," Frances MacBrayne
"The Transformation," Gordon McAllister
Easter Acrostic, Miss Greene's Class
Anthem: "The Easter Bells Are Chiming," Senior Chorus
Recessional March.

GRACE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Morning 10.30

Organ voluntary, Prelude, Unfold Ye Portals .....Gounod
Jerusalem ..... Nevin
Germania Ladies' Orchestra
Anthem, I Am He That Liveth, Fisher
Response, 'Tis Finished .....Buck
Anthem, Jesus Lives .....Herwald
Anthem, Madrigale .....Spinnette
Orchestra
Anthem, The Story Is Told, from "The Story of the Cross" .....Buck
Postlude, Romaine .....Gounod

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Service at 10.30 a. m.

Organ prelude, March on Easter Themes .....Andrews
Chorus, God Has Sent His Angels Stewart
Why Seek Ye the Living Among the Dead? .....Stanford
Let the Heavens Be Joyful.....Fletcher
Organ postlude, Alleluia in E flat Lovet
William A. Liddell, Supt. S. S.; Mrs. Charles A. Goggin, leader of children.

Easter Exercises in Song and Story at 6.30 p. m.

Miss Doris J. Bartlett will sing, O Eyes That are Weary and Hearts That are Sore .....Schnecker
Solo by Mr. George S. Drew
Alexander Leggatt, musical director; Miss Ella L. Gale, organist; chorus choir, Miss Hazel Wirt, soprano.
Rev. William A. Bartlett, D. D., will preach, closing the series of special Sunday evening services conducted for the past 10 weeks.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Morning, 10.30

Anthem, Awake Thou That Sleepest, Maker
Quartet, Consider the Lilies.....Topliff
Anthem, Why Seek Ye the Living Among the Dead? .....Brown
Communion service

Easter Concert, 6.30 p. m.

Baptism
Anthem, Christ is Risen.....Bracket
Quartet, Chime Ye Bells.....Walton
Quartet, Selected
The concert will consist of recitations and exercises together with carols and special exercises by the primary department.
Mrs. Charles G. Martin, soprano; Mrs. H. K. Hanson, alto; Mr. Edward R. Wirt, tenor; Mr. Henry G. Hardy, bass; Mr. Frank E. Hill, organist and director.

GORHAM STREET METHODIST

Morning, 10.30

Prelude, Intermezzo in E, John H. Major
Anthem, Christ is Risen, Carrie B. Adams
Choir
Invocation, Doxology, Psalm 24, Hymn 109, Prayer
Tenor solo, Calvary .....Rodney
Mr. Fred Potter
Lesson
Anthem, Christ is Risen..E. L. Ashford
Choir
Announcements, Hymn 157
Sermon
Alto solo, He is Not Here for He Is Risen ..... Bronnio
Mrs. Eva Stokes
Offertory, Faith (with violin), D. R. Munro
Gloria Patri, Benediction
Postlude, Processional March, E. Guirand
A fine program will be rendered at 6.30 p. m.

ELIOT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Morning, 10.30

Prelude, Fantasie ..... Dubois
Soprano solo, Fear Not Ye, O Israel, Dudley Buck
Miss Clara Sexton
Duet, Hosanna ..... Jules Uralnier
Miss Clara Sexton and Mr. Albert Edmund Brown
Offertory, Intermezzo ..... Wely
Bass solo, Our Risen King...A. F. Loud
Mr. Albert Edmund Brown
Postlude ..... Stern
Soloists: Miss Clara Sexton, soprano, Boston Opera company; Mr. Albert Edmund Brown, baritone; organist, Mr. Clayton R. Kimball.

HIGH STREET CHURCH

Morning Worship, 10.30

Organ prelude, Grand Chorus..Dubois
Anthem, As It Began to Dawn, A. H. Ryder
Anthem, To the Paschal Victim, H. J. Stewart
Anthem, On Wings of Living Light, H. N. Bartlett
(With Violin Obligato)
Solo and quartet, The Buds Are Bursting on the Trees.....E. E. Adams
Anthem, God Has Appointed a Day, Tours
Violin solo, Meditation .....Massenet
Organ postlude, Triumphal March, Verdi
Choir: Edward Everett Adams, tenor and chorister; Miss Etta R. Thompson, soprano; Miss Rena J. Landers, contralto; John S. Moir, bass; Charles O. Allen, organist; Miss Helen P. Leonard, violinist.
Evening service at 7 p. m.

Dancing till 1, Asso., Monday eve.

LEON CHESTER THRASHER

AMERICAN MINING ENGINEER LOST WHEN GERMAN SUBMARINE SANK BRITISH LINER

LEON CHESTER THRASHER

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The state department has instructed Ambassador Page and Consul General Skinner at London, to make an investigation into the circumstances surrounding the death of Leon C. Thrasher, the American mining engineer, drowned when the German submarine sent the British liner Falaba to the bottom. The ambassador and consul general reported that they had been informed that Thresher had been drowned, but they said they had no official information. They do not know whether ample time was given for escape and Thresher was negligent, whether he was killed by the explosion caused by the torpedo or drowned while the vessel was sinking. Officials had little doubt that the case eventually would form the subject of representations to Germany. In its note, after Germany's war zone proclamation, the Washington government notified the German foreign office that it would feel compelled to hold that government to "strict accountability" for the loss of American lives or property through the operations of submarines against British merchant shipping.

GOOD FRIDAY SERMONS

STORY OF CHRIST'S PASSION TOLD AT CATHOLIC CHURCHES LAST EVENING

Large congregations attended the solemn Good Friday devotions at the various Catholic churches of the city yesterday. In the afternoon at 3 p. m. the stations of the cross were held, and in the evening the tenebrae service was sung, followed by a sermon on the passion and death of Christ. After the sermon a crucifix was laid within the sanctuary and the congregation drew near and, kneeling down, kissed it devoutly. At the Immaculate Conception church, a relic of the true cross was venerated after the devotions of the stations of the cross.

The passion sermon at the Immaculate Conception church was preached by Rev. James P. McCartin, O. M. I., who gave a most impressive picture of the events leading up to the tragedy of Calvary, and brought home the significance of the death of Christ. The sermon at St. Patrick's was preached by Rev. Fr. Callahan, at St. Peter's by Rev. Fr. Crayton, at the Sacred Heart by Rev. Charles Fallon, O. M. I. of Tewksbury novitiate, and at St. Margaret's by Rev. Fr. Reardon. Last evening's services brought the tenebrae devotions to a close, and the ritualistic mourning will end in the services of Easter which are characterized by joy and gladness.

This morning the ceremonies of the blessing of the new fire and the baptismal and Easter water were held, and everything is now in readiness for the elaborate Easter programs.

Mary, Thomas, Peter and the Others Were as Human as You Are: They Saw and heard the Risen Christ. Dr. Bartlett Tells the Story Sunday Night.

FIRE ON MT. HOPE ST.

The alarm from box 76 at 4.51 o'clock yesterday afternoon was for a brush fire off Mt. Hope street. A telephone alarm was received at 7.31 o'clock for a grass fire off Riverside street, which was extinguished by Hose 10.

Thomas C. Lee & Co. carried insurance on the property in the name of Charles D. Foley, 37 Newhall street, damaged by fire Thursday.

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TELLS OF FLIGHT FROM KURDS

Wife of Missionary Was In Village Ravashed by Kurds

Mrs. Oster, With Month-Old Baby Rode Horse to Safety

RUTLAND, Vt., April 3.—The flight of a missionary family, including a four-weeks'-old baby, from the ravages of the Kurds in villages at Azerbijan, Persia, and some of the fighting between Russians and the native tribes in that country, are described in a letter just received here.

The writer, Mrs. Florence White Oster, a Seventh Day Adventist missionary, tells of the sacking and burning of the village of Meondoab and of the subsequent flight of Rev. Mr. Oster, herself and her child, from Maragha when the tribesmen threatened that place.

"Children were thrown into icy rivers and women were treated dreadfully during the sacking of Meondoab, according to the letter, which continues:

"We left Maragha by night with the Russian army of 8000 men retreating from Meondoab. I rode the horse with our four-weeks'-old baby, while Mr. Oster led him. That first night and day I kept the saddle for 14 hours without a rest.

"We fell off the horse once right in a small stream. A soldier helped us a bit. He thought baby was a bundle of something we did not wish so threw her over to one side of the road. Baby seemed to enjoy the ride and did not care how much she was jolted.

"We have been wonderfully cared for by God. The Kurds and Turks took this place also, but no murdering took place. Now the Russians have taken Tabriz and we feel quite safe again.

"Just six miles from here 800 Kurds were killed, 500 taken prisoners and about 500 escaped. The ground was strewn with their bodies. Because of the defeat we fear they will take vengeance on Maragha. As yet the Russians are not strongly enforced enough to go down to Maragha. We do not know if they must wait until they get through fighting the Germans or not.

"We have seen more real suffering. Hundreds of refugees are fleeing through the snow barefoot. Many are dying from starvation.

"We are kindly cared for here by the Presbyterian missionaries from America. They have given us a room in the girls' school and we are boarding ourselves. We are not yet out of danger, for the Turks are stronger near the boundary, and with the Kurds to help, we surely have something to fear. About 10,000 Russians are here, but we do not know when they will be called away."

Broderick's orch., Asso., Monday eve.

TROLLEY MEN ASK INCREASE

New Contract Effective June 1, to Be Drawn Up

Worcester and Springfield Men Will Negotiate With Company

SPRINGFIELD, April 3.—After the expected adjustment of the grievances that caused the strike on the lines of the Springfield Street Railway system at the hearing in this city next Wednesday, before the state board of conciliation and arbitration, negotiations will be immediately started relative to a new contract between the Springfield and Worcester trolleymen and the company, to go into effect June 1.

It is proposed to ask for an increase in wages for the men in both cities and day pay for the Worcester trolleymen, who are now paid by the hour. Springfield employes are already on the day-pay basis.

A tentative draft of a contract will be submitted to the officials of the New England Investment and Securities company, controlling the Springfield and Worcester trolley properties, prior to May 1. The scale demanded will increase the minimum pay above $2.30 a day and the maximum above $2.85 a day. Trolleymen in Worcester now receive a minimum of 23 cents an hour and a maximum of 28 1-2 cents an hour, while in Springfield, on the basis of a nine hour day, 31 2-3 cents an hour is the maximum day.

In both cities, however, man must serve three years before he is entitled to receive the maximum wage. John H. Reardon of Worcester, member of the International executive board, remained in town until this afternoon when he left the city to attend scheduled meetings of Holyoke and Northampton union officials.

He said that the present agreement between the trolleymen and the New England Investment and Securities company was made June 1, 1912, for three years. According to a paragraph in the agreement, drawn at that time, all contemplated changes in contract must be put in definite form before May 1, and in view of this fact the union officials will begin to hold meetings regarding this phase of the question as early as April 15. It is known that changes are also desired in the arbitration agreement.

Money deposited today, April 3rd, in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank will bear interest from this date.

OUR DICTIONARY HELPS

MILITARY AND NAVAL TERMS OFTEN PUZZLE—NEW DICTIONARY AIDS READING WAR REPORTS

Definitions of military and naval terms, grouped together under a single heading, is one of the special features of The New Universities Dictionary now being offered to readers of The Sun, contributing to the splendid success attending the distribution of the book. Nearly everybody nowadays is reading about the war, and not infrequently the reports from the other side contain some word or expression with which the average reader is unfamiliar.

The meaning of such terms can readily be had by turning to The New Universities Dictionary, as well as that of many expressions which have come into more common usage since the continent of Europe has become one vast battle ground and the high seas turned into a "danger zone" by the naval operations of the contending powers.

In all there are twenty-five of these supplementary dictionaries containing the definitions of hundreds of words brought into general and proper use not only by the war in Europe but by the forward steps in science, business, society, religion and the increasing popularity of sports of all kinds, which can be found in no dictionary other than the one The Sun is distributing among its readers at a nominal cost.

Coupons are being redeemed in large quantities, so enthusiastically has the offer been received, and it is evident that The New Universities Dictionary is finding its way into the business office as well as the home.

See the window display at The Sun office.

SUN FEATURES MONDAY

Latest Fashion News with Illustrations on Women's Page—Lady Lookabout and Other Contributors

The latest fashion news, pleasingly illustrated with pictures of the latest styles in gowns, will be found on the Women's Page of The Sun on Monday. The page will contain helpful reading matter that will interest all the women readers.

A fine recipe for removing grease from carpets will be found in "What the Cook Says," which article will also have various helpful kitchen hints.

Health and beauty hints, general matters of improving personal appearance, arrangement of the hair, new coiffeures, and other affairs of interest to the ladies will be discussed in "What Hortense Told Me."

A home facial massage will be described "In Milady's Boudoir." "The French Maid" will tell how to renovate old gloves. "Naughty Spotty" will be a delightful story for the little readers of The Sun.

Open an account in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank. Interest begins today, April 3rd.

THE WEATHER

Snow or rain tonight; Sunday clearing; northwest gales.

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VIOLATIONS OF THE CIVIL SERVICE LAWS REPORTED

Men on City Payrolls Not Eligible to Civil Service Positions—Registrar of Labor Explains

It was reported that some of the heads of the departments at city hall are violating civil service laws by having on their payrolls men who are not eligible to civil service positions.

Patrick J. Reynolds, registrar of labor at city hall, in conversation with a Sun reporter this morning, said a man who is illegally hired by a city department head takes chances of working without pay, for as soon as the civil service commission is made aware of the fact, a notice is sent to the head of the department and if the man is not discharged within one week after receipt of the notice, he loses his pay. This is a part of section 35 of the civil service laws. On the other hand, the employer who is notified of his illegal action and who pays no attention to the notification is subject to a fine of not less than $100 and not more than $1000.

Mr. Reynolds also explained the workings of transfers from one departmnet to another for the benefit of the public. He said if a man is employed in a certain department and wishes to be transferred to another, he at first makes sure the head of the other department is willing to hire him. Then he has him send a letter to the civil service commission to that effect, and if the employer is willing to allow the transfer, upon a vote of the commission it takes place.

Vocational School

Supt. Fisher of the Vocational school informed The Sun this morning that the boys from the machinist department of the school are in great demand in this city. He said a short time ago one of the students who had attended the school for three years secured employment at the United States Cartridge Co. and his services were so satisfactory that the company sent for three more boys. Mr. Fisher was later informed that the company could give employment to as many boys as the school could furnish.

Adjusting Losses

The adjusters on the Memorial building fire have allowed the sum of $2111 for the memorial tablets. However, there is a hitch in this settlement for it is not known if this amount is included on the contents or on the building, and this matter will be settled at a conference between the adjusters, the insurance men and the city.

Favors Celebration

Mayor Murphy is in receipt of a letter from the chairman of the Memorial day committee of the G. A. R. to the effect that the three posts of the G. A. R. as well as the Spanish War veterans and the Sons of Veterans favor the celebration of July 4th as planned. The letter is as follows:

Hon. Dennis J. Murphy,
Mayor of Lowell.
Mr. Mayor:

At a meeting of the Memorial day committee last Wednesday evening, the committee, consisting of delegates from the three Grand Army posts, Sons of Veterans and Spanish War veterans, it was unanimously voted to favor the military parade as already partially arranged for a celebration July 4th, and that the committee attend the hearing on April 6 as a body.

Owing to the Massachusetts department annual convention coming on the 6th and 7th and the meeting of the other patriotic societies in Boston at the same time, it will be impossible for many of us to attend the hearing of the 6th, so you will understand the reason why we are not present.

Yours respectfully,
J. H. Caverly,
Chairman of Memorial Day Committee.

Contract Awarded

The contract for a carload of soft western pig lead for the water department was awarded by the purchasing agent this morning to F. T. Baldwin, the lowest bidder, whose bid was $4.36 1-2 per hundred pounds. The other bids submitted were as follows: Costello, $4.37 1-2; Harry Drury, $4.39 1-3; Chadwick Lead Co., of Boston, $4.60. These bids are all F. O. B. Lowell.

Water Department

The employes of the water department are finishing the laying of 1078 feet of eight-inch pipe in Martin street. They are also at work on the laying of 300 feet of 10-inch pipe in Shaw street between Warwick and Wilder streets. A six inch connection will be laid next week from Bond street to Stevens street. In anticipation of the paving of Gorham street from Lincoln street to Manchester street and the macadamizing of the same street from Manchester to Corbett, the department will take out the six-inch water main and install in its stead a 12-inch pipe.

Invitation Received

The commissoners and the mayor are in receipt of an invitation from the trustees of the Lowell Textile school to attend the graduating exercises of the evening classes, which will be held at the school on the evening of April 14. An inspection of the various departments of the school will take place at 7 o'clock and the exercises will be held at 7.45 o'clock.

O'SULLIVAN SAYS

What is the story about Glen Urquhart Plaid? Urquhart is the 71st clan of Scotland. This clan takes its name from Urquhart in Inverness-shire and dates back to the first Lord Urquhart in the year 1312. The original family of Urquhart has passed away though there is still an Urquhart of Craigston Castle, Scotland, and there are several hundred Glen Urquhart suits at the Merrimack Clothing Company today, priced from $10 to $25.

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is the slogan used by the Mayor of Boston,—especially good when it applies to a remedy for sour stomach, distress, nausea and indigestion. Why suffer day after day when Dys-peplets will so readily give you relief? They are made from pepsin, bismuth, mint, rhubarb and other things good for the stomach. In beautiful aluminum pocket box, 10c. Get one from your druggist and carry it with you all the time. Large sizes, 25c, $1.00.

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Spring Fashions for 1915 Easter Day.

Fashions are cyclical—modes and graces of an earlier day are returned. Mid-Victorian, Imperatrice Eugenie and the fashions under Louis Philippe are traced in the new season's styles—all savor of the romantic period of dress.

CHALIFOUX'S

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY TRYING TO STARVE MONTENEGRO

Would Cut Off Montenegro From Outside World—Gen. Joffre Says War Will Soon End—German Aeroplane Brought Down Near Rheims

LONDON, April 3.—The fluctuating struggle in the Carpathians seems to be nearing its decision, according to despatches reaching London. By successive rushes amid ice and snow Russian troops are said to have carried a series of Austrian lines and in the view of British observers, they bid fair soon to break through in force between the Lupkow and the Uzsok passes.

In the west, conditions bordering on stagnation prevail. The allies are keeping the Germans in the dark as to when and where the big thrust will come and in the meantime they are speculating as to whether the invaders of France will risk a serious offensive while the situation in the east remains precarious.

The British press in addition to being universally outraged that the Germans should protest to the American embassy regarding the segregation of the crews of submarines now held as prisoners of war, is making much of the death of Leon C. Thresher, the American who lost his life in the sinking of the Falaba. "What will Washington do?" asks today's Westminster Gazette. And other papers debate along the same lines.

As the weeks pass the operations in the Dardanelles appear likely to be more and more protracted; even the London papers are today inclined to admit that the Turkish positions perhaps have not yet been seriously damaged.

The discussion for and against absolute prohibition of the consumption of alcoholic liquors continues to rage. The papers are filled with letters containing suggestions to meet the situation. These vary from plans to prohibit the manufacture of spirits to the novel idea that employers distribute a limited number of liquor tickets to such of the workmen as will not abuse the privilege.

GOT GERMAN AEROPLANE

PARIS, April 3.—The war office made the following announcement this afternoon:

"In the regions of the Somme, La Boiselle and Dompierre, mining warfare continued with noticeable advantages for the French. The total number of prisoners taken at the forest of Le Petre, northwest of Pont-A-Mousson, March 30, to April 1, is more than 200, including six officers.

"A German aeroplane was brought down yesterday after dropping bombs on Rheims. When fired on it came to earth. The two aviators who were unhurt, were taken prisoners."

REPORT FROM BERLIN

BERLIN, April 3.—(By wireless to Sayville)—German army headquarters today gave out a report on the progress of hostilities reading as follows:

"The Belgian attempt yesterday to win back Klosterhoek, which the Germans occupied March 31, resulted in failure.

"A French charge in the forest of Le Pretre was not successful.

"A French attack on the heights south of Nieder-Aspach, west of Muelhausen, was repulsed.

"Nothing of importance has occurred on the eastern front."

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BAD EASTER WEATHER

Northeast Gale Sweeps Atlantic Seaboard From Florida to New England—Storm in Lowell

WASHINGTON, April 3.—A northeast gale swept the Atlantic seaboard today from Florida to New England. Rain fell over a considerable section of the east and snow over Middle Atlantic states with flurries extending up as far as the Maine coast. New York city was visited by snow and a 36 mile gale.

Off Sandy Hook the wind was blowing 52 miles an hour. At Delaware Breakwater, where the gale was highest this forenoon, its velocity reached 60 miles. The local weather bureau said that the storm center was approximately over Cape Hatteras and moving rapidly up the coast. Storm signals flew from Wilmington to Cape Cod.

With a falling barometer the weather bureau saw no let-up in the storm for today. The storm moved out from the Florida peninsula yesterday and traveled fast toward the northeastern tip of New England.

Along the New Jersey coast the tide was high. At the height of the gale a fire was discovered in a boarding house at Seabright and after spreading to adjoining buildings it threatened the entire town for a time. The flames were subdued by quick work.

WIRE CONDITIONS BAD

NEW YORK, April 3.—The wet snow played great havoc with the telegraph and telephone wires south of Washington. The center of trouble was in Virginia, where communication ceased at Lynchburg. Richmond, Newport News and Norfolk were isolated completely from wire communication with the rest of the country. South of Richmond, along the seaboard, the wires were in bad condition. Messages from New York to Havana were being sent by way of Chicago and Atlanta.

Wire conditions were said to be normal in New England, in New York state and as far south as Washington.

In the early afternoon the snowstorm and gale, which had raged for more than three hours, showed no signs of abating and prospects for Easter Sunday looked dubious.

The weather man held out a ray of hope, however, by his statement that he believed the worst of the storm would be over before tomorrow dawn and that bright skies would prevail on Sunday.

SNOW IN BOSTON

BOSTON, April 3—The Easter snowstorm reached this city on the wings of a stiff northeast breeze at noon today. It was particularly severe on the southeast coast, with wind velocities of more than 50 miles an hour at Block island and Nantucket. The snow ended a record-breaking drought of 37 days.

STORM STRIKES LOWELL

A northeastern snow and wind storm struck Lowell about noon today and brought a sudden change from the real fine weather we experienced during the first two days of the month to a cold, blustering and howling storm, similar to what the weather man usually offers during the first two months of the year. Late yesterday afternoon the temperature began to fall and this morning it was 20 degrees colder, while during the forenoon a wind storm visited the city and increased in violence until early this afternoon when the snow was blown by furious blasts that drove the crowds from the streets to shelter.

The unpropitious weather brought gloom to Lowell merchants who hoped for a warm and calm day so that the people might come out and make their purchases for the Easter season. The fact that indications early this afternoon pointed to an unpleasant Easter Sunday kept many purchasers away from the stores while a few braved the weather and were seen hurrying for cars loaded with bundles.

Spring Blizzard

As The Sun goes to press this afternoon a real snow storm driven by a strong wind is in progress, the roofs of buildings are coated with snow and on most of the streets it is being converted into slush.

The storm came as a great surprise to most people and to a great extent blighted the prospects of the merchants for a big Easter business, as many of those who would otherwise be out shopping were afraid to venture out.

Nine prizes, Associate, Monday eve.

GERMAN RAIDER

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Screened from her enemies by a howling gale that drove a blinding snowstorm over the Virginia capes, the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich today had her first real opportunity to dash to sea since she took refuge in the neutral waters of Hampton Roads three weeks ago, although it still remained uncertain whether she would accept the opportunity or intern.

Moreover, a curtain was drawn between the outside world and the theatre of possible operations, for the storm which swirled from Hatteras northward had ripped down telephone and telegraph wires until early today Newport News, Norfolk, the Virginia capes and the surrounding country were entirely cut off from communication except by wireless, which was entirely in the hands of the navy department. And in the interest of American neutrality the navy department drew the curtain tight.

Coaled, provisioned and repaired, the Prinz Eitel has been lying at her wharf—a day to day mystery—leaving unanswered the question of whether Capt. Thierichens would finally elect to intern his ship and men for the war or attempt a dash through the fan of allied cruisers which have hovered outside the three mile limit beyond the capes.

The chance of an unarmored ship breaking through that cordon was regarded as so small by naval officers that it had been the almost general opinion that the Eitel would be interned when the last moment of her time had expired. But such a storm as today's makes every lane out to sea a comparatively safe route and many admirers of the German commander recalling his daring exploits in seven months of sea roving before he came to Newport News would not be surprised if he accepted the opportunity the elements afforded.

It is the belief in marine circles that the limit of the Eitel's stay under the neutrality regulations does not expire for some days but on the other hand there is nothing to prevent the German commander dashing to sea at any opportunity in the meantime.

Secretary Daniels used the navy wireless to learn the latest developments in connection with the Eitel. He sent messages through the high-powered Arlington station to Rear-Admiral Beatty, commandant of the Norfolk navy yard, and to Rear-Admiral Helm, aboard the Atlantic reserve fleet flagship, the Alabama, which is standing guard in Hampton Roads.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

COSTUME PARTY and CONCERT
By the Mathew Temperance Inst.
ASSOCIATE HALL, MONDAY EVE.
Concert from 8 to 8.30. Grand march from 8.30 to 9. Nine prizes are offered for best features in this event. General dancing from 9 to 1.
BRODERICK'S ORCHESTRA
Admission: Ladies, 25c; Gents, 35c

FOR SALE
Lozier Automobile
Having purchased a new car will sell my Lozier Briarcliff Model, small tonneau, in excellent condition, electric lights, etc., very fast; cost $5000. Also a small Buick touring car. Can be seen on Sunday at Garage, 377 Wilder Street. Telephone me 2150. H. L. Chalifoux.

Contentment
You will enjoy the beautiful church services Easter day much more if you are not bothered with the thoughts of getting dinner.
ECONOMY
Really it is more economical, too. You will find that we can furnish you food and service in the dignified and beautiful surroundings of our establishment at much less than you could prepare it at home.
EASTER SUNDAY
Table d'Hote Dinner $1.00
Planked Steak Combination....$1.50
A La Carte Service
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NEW RESTAURANT

PERSONALS

Cyrus W. Russell has returned from a pleasant stay at Pinehurst, N. C.

George R. Smith was appointed organist of St. John's church to succeed Clayton R. Kimball, resigned.

Mr. Joseph Cameron of Quebec, Canada, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Francis Langlois, 200 Perkins street.

Thomas Brosnahan of Lawrence street is home on his Easter vacation from Villa Nova academy. He will return next Wednesday.

Congressman Rogers spoke before the Get-Together club of the Y. M. C. A. last evening on the subject, "Current Events in Washington."

Mrs. Richard Carmen was tendered a birthday party at her home, 462 Central street, last evening. Best wishes were extended and a pleasant evening was spent.

Miss Florence Desrosiers of 142 Ennell street has been awarded the $25 prize in the efficiency contest recently conducted by the Sperry & Hutchinson company, of Boston.

Miss Vivian M. Cowen has accepted the position of contralto singer at the Unitarian church at Leominster. She was formerly connected with the First Baptist church of this city.

Harry Freeman, the well known clothing salesman, will be pleased to meet his many friends at Frankel Goodman's Cloak & Suit store in the old Boston & Maine building, next door to the Owl theatre.

Master William N. Lancaster of 105 Chapel street has just passed his seventh birthday. The event was signalized by a birthday party at which he received many presents, including a fine upright piano from his grandmother, Mrs. Holmes.

Supt. F. B. Dyer of Boston will give an address before the Lowell Teachers organization next Tuesday at the high school hall. His subject will be "The Changing Characteristics of Childhood From Four to Eighteen." A cordial invitation is being extended the parents and all interested to attend the lecture.

Clement Bairstow, manager of the Atlantic & Pacific store in Merrimack street, has received a letter from his brother, Hubert, a large livery proprietor in Bradford, England, who states that his business has been crippled by the war. Mr. Bairstow writes that at the start of the war 30 of his finest horses were seized by the government, and he has been unable to replace them, although he was amply reimbursed by the government.

A very enjoyable miscellaneous shower was held recently at the home of Miss Mae Bradley in honor of Miss Elizabeth McNally who is to become the bridge of Wire Inspector William Mahan on April 14. The following musical program was carried out: Piano selections, Misses Frances Clayton and Anna Hart; character impersonations, Josephine O'Brien; whistling solos, Mae Bradley; vocal selections, Misses Elizabeth McNally, Josephine Lynch, Etta McPherson, Della Green and Sadie Bajnbrick. Refreshments were served, after which the party broke up all wishing the bride happiness in her future life.

Character party, Asso., Monday eve.

O'SULLIVAN SAYS

What are Glen Urquhart Plaid Suits? They are strictly all wool, two or three button sack coats with regular or patch pockets—the colors are gray and black, green and black, purple and gray, and green and gray; the plaid is about three inches square and the prices at the Merrimack Clothing Company this week are $10, $12, $15, $20 and $25.

Pride in Appearance
Second only in importance to personal appearance is the appearance of the home.
Let us then, wherever it be possible, endeavor to improve in both respects.
We suggest as an important home improvement — electric light.
Ask for particulars of our house wiring offer at once.
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Young Vermont Turkey Cranberry Jelly
ROASTS
Sirloin of Prime, au jus
Young Suckling Pig, Potato Dressing
Mashed or New Potatoes
Wax Beans
New Asparagus on Toast
Cherry Fritter Wine Sauce
Fresh Strawberry Ice Cream
Assorted Wafers
Cheese Toasted Crackers Coffee
Singing by Miss Marguerite Turgeon
Special Easter Music and Decorations

REFUSES USE OF CABLES FOR CONDUCT OF TRADE

Great Britain Makes Formal Announcement of Her New Cable Censorship Policy

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Secretary Bryan had before him today Great Britain's formal announcement of her new cable censorship policy. A memorandum on the subject had been transmitted to the state department through Ambassador Page at London. In it Great Britain serves notice of its intention to stop all messages sent over cables under British control relative to trade in contraband or non-contraband "to which a resident in an enemy country is one of the parties." In this connection the communication points out that it is clear that in view of the great importance of restricting the enemy's supplies and withholding facilities from them for carrying on their trade "his majesty's government cannot be expected to afford the use of British cables to enable neutral and enemy countries to make arrangements with each other for the conduct of that trade."

THE BIG FIGHT

Referee of the Johnson-Willard Fight Arrives in Havana

HAVANA, Cuba, April 3.—Jack Welsh, who will referee the fight Monday between Jack Johnson and Jess Willard for the world's heavyweight championship landed in Havana early today.

No sooner was the referee ashore than he started upon a series of conferences with the fight promoters. Having by this means secured interpretations of the rules from each side, the referee will present his own system for refereeing the fight. It is probable he will call a conference for Sunday for final explanations and ratifications.

Weather conditions today were the best for training purposes that have prevailed for a week. It was clear and cool and both Johnson and Willard were on the road early for their final runs, sprinting occasionally with a mile or so of steady running. Tomorrow and Monday the men will do little more than trot and walk. Both plan a heavy exhibition schedule this afternoon before the half holiday crowds. A feature of Johnson's work will be a six round bout with Sam McVey. The promoters have given up their idea of trying to stop the champion from doing this for fear of possible injury to himself. They have cautioned him, however, to go easy and have been given a promise to that effect.

The line formed in front of the ticket windows this morning before the box office opened. Many of the late arrivals who made no seat reservations before coming to Havana are surprised at the demand for tickets. They complain that many of the best seats already have been sold; they expect to get ringside seats as late as Saturday.

There has been little change in the betting situation. Johnson money is plentiful but bettors on the negro are unwilling to give odds.

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Miss Clara Sexton
Soprano Boston Opera Company
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On the premises, regardless of any condition of the weather, I will sell at absolute auction sale this two and one-half story house, sheds, hen houses that will accommodate 100 hens, together with about 9000 square feet of land.

The house contains eight large rooms, has gas and town water and is in very good repair. The lot is of good area and dimension, giving an excellent chance for any one to keep a large number of poultry, as the accommodations are already on the premises.

The location is very good, handy to the electric cars, the different churches and within easy walking distance of the high schools, town hall and the centre of the village. The property is also within close proximity of the numerous shops and factories that make North Chelmsford an extremely busy village.

Now here is a splendid opportunity for any one to purchase a home in one of the finest districts of Chelmsford seldom given, a chance to buy at an absolute public auction sale.

If you are thinking of buying this spring and wish to be in a village, be sure to attend this sale, as the property will be sold to whomsoever will bid the most for it.

Terms—$150 must be paid to the auctioneer just as soon as the property is struck off. Other terms at sale.

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By William D. Brown, Treasurer.

GREAT EASTER FESTIVAL

Fine Musical Programs Prepared for Tomorrow's Services in the Local Churches

The Easter festival will be observed in all the churches of Lowell tomorrow with special musical services, sermons on the Resurrection and general rejoicing in the work of the redemption. The programs in most of the churches are given below.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

Solemn High Mass, 11 A. M.
Processional—Jesus Christ Is Risen Today ..... Arundel
Sanctuary Choir
Vidi Aquam ..... W. A. Newland
Church Choir
Introit—Resurrexi ..... Falkenstein
Sanctuary Choir
Mass of St. Cecilia ..... Gounod
Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnus Dei
Church Choir
Gradual—Haec Dies ..... Rosewig
Sequence—Victimae Paschali ..... Tozer
James King, Tenor Soloist
Offertory—Terra Tremuit ..... Tozer
Sanctuary Choir
Motett—"Alleluia ..... Weigand
Church Choir
Communion—Pascha Nostrum, Falkenstein
Recessional—Easter ..... Arundel
Sanctuary Choir
Responses by sanctuary choir of 80 voices. Brother Nilus, director. Church quartet: Miss Alice Murphy, soprano; Mrs. James Morris, contralto; Mr. John McNabb, tenor; Mr. Andrew A. McCarthy, baritone, assisted by Miss Teresa Slattery, Miss Margaret O'Donoghue, sopranos; Mr. John Keegan, tenor; Mr. D. S. O'Brien, baritone; a chorus of 30 voices, and Mr. M. J. Johnson at the organ.

Solemn Vespers, 7 p. m.
Processional—Jesus Christ Is Risen Today ..... Arundel
Psalms and antiphons of the feast sung antiphonally by church and sanctuary choirs.
Antiphon of the Feast—Haec Dies, Lambillotte
Church Choir
Magnificat ..... Plain Chant
Antiphon of the Season—Regina Coeli, Rosewig
Sanctuary Choir
O Salutaris ..... Rossini
Andrew A. McCarthy
Tantum Ergo ..... Sewell
Church Choir
Laudate Dominum ..... Plain Chant
Recessional—The Lamb's High Feast, Arundel
Sanctuary Choir
The girls' choir under the direction of Sisters of Notre Dame, will sing Easter hymns at the 8.30 mass. At the offertory Miss Kathleen Jennings will sing Millard's "Ave Verum." Organist John J. Kelty.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH

Solemn High Mass at 11 a. m.
The choir will sing Gounod's mass of the Sacred Heart, and will be assisted by Miss Mary Whitely, soprano, Miss Vera McArdel, contralto; Mr. Lawrence Delany, tenor, and Mr. James Donnelly, baritone; Mr. Joseph Egan, cantor; Miss Caroline White, organist.

Solemn vespers at 7 p. m., with an appropriate musical program.

At the 9 o'clock mass Miss Gertrude Keleher will sing an O Salutaris by Faure.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH

Solemn mass at 10.45 a. m. Vespers at 7 p. m.

The musical program will be the "Messe Solonnelle," of Gounod, by the church choir, and some 15th century Motets by the Chancel choir.

The vesper service will be sung by the quartet and chancel choir, the psalms by Leitner in the Falsobordono style of church music.

The music will be under the direction of Mr. James A. Murphy, and will be sung by the quartet and chorus choir of the church, and a chancel choir (vested) of 50 voices, men and boys, (a capella).

The soloists will be: Mrs. James A. Murphy, soprano; Miss Margaret Griffin, contralto; Mr. James A. Murphy, tenor; Mr. Thomas P. Boulger, bass; Miss Ella M. Reilly, organist.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Solemn High Mass, 11 a. m.
Organ prelude, Festive March J. L. Erb, Op. 23
Processional hymn, The Resurrection of Jesus ..... Mazzinger
Vidi Aquam ..... Gregorian
Introit, "Resurrexi," ..... Gregorian
Sanctuary Choir.
Messe Solennelle, Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus ..... Gounod
(St. Cecilia) Benedictus Agnus Dei
Church Choir
Graduale, "Haec Dies" ....Gregorian
Sanctuary Choir.
Veni Creator .....Handel
Edward McNulty
Offertory, "Alleluia" .....Berge
Church choir
Communion, Regina Coeli ....Novello
Recessional hymn, Alleluia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise.....Mazzinger
Sanctuary Choir.
Postlude, "Unfold, Ye Portals..Gounod
(from the Redemption)
Church choir
Organ, Gloria .....Hayden
Soloists in mass: Mrs. Mary Monroe Mooney, soprano; Miss Bessie Finnigan, contralto; Mr. John McMahon, tenor; Mr. George Kirwin, bass.

Vesper Service, 6.30 p. m.
Organ prelude (a) Intermezzo J. S. Camp Op. 3
(b) Andantino E. Lemare
(c) Triumphal March A. M. Shuey
Processional hymn, The Resurrection of Jesus .....Mazzinger
Regina Coeli .....Novello
Sanctuary Choir.
"Alleluia" ..... Berge
Church choir
Soloists: Mrs. Mooney, Miss Finnigan, John McMahon, George Kirwin.
Trio, "Ave Verum .....Mercadante
Mrs. Mooney, John McMahon, George Kerwin
Tantum Ergo ..... Kreiller
Church choir
Adoramus in Aeternum.....Gregorian
Laudate Dominum.....Gregorian
Recessional hymn, Alleluia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise.....Mazzinger
Sanctuary choir
Postlude, Unfold, Ye Portals..Gounod
(from The Redemption)
Church choir
Organ, Fanfra March.....R. Diggle
Church choir of 50 voices, assisted by sanctuary choir of 65 voices. Organist and director John J. Kelty.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Solemn High Mass at 11 a. m.
Processional, Oh Wonderful Easter Morning
Sanctuary choir.
Vidi Aquam .....Witzka
Church choir.
Introit, Resurrexi ..... Tozer
Quartet
Mass ..... Kalliwoda
Church choir
Graduale, Haec Dies .....Tozer
Quartet
Offertory, Terra Tremuit.....Tozer
Quartet
Motet, Victimae Paschali....Bordonel
Church choir
Communion, Pascha Nostra.....Tozer
Quartet
Recessional, Angel Clad in Snowy White
Sanctuary choir
Master John O'Brien, soloist.

Vespers at 6.30 p. m.
Sanctuary choir
A chorus of 60 voices and the following soloists: Mrs. F. P. McCartin, Miss Kittie McCartin, sopranos; Miss Katherine McCaffery, Miss Mary Mack, altos Mr. John Dalton, Mr. George F. Lynch, tenors; Mr. Walter Mack, Mr William Gookin and Mr D F Martin, basses. Mrs. H. F. Walker, organist; Josepa P. Courtney, director.

ST. MARGARET'S

High Mass, 10.45 A. M.
Organ prelude—Alleluia .....Rockwell
Vidi Aquam ..... Gregorian
Kyrie—Mass in F .....Rosewig
Gloria—Mass in F .....Rosewig
Credo—Mass in F .....Rosewig
Offertory—Ave Maria ...Chas. Gounod
Miss Katherine V. Hennessy
Sanctus ..... Rosewig
Benedictus ..... Rosewig
Agnus Dei ..... Rosewig
Organ Postlude—Triumphal March, Verdi

Masses at St. Margaret's on Easter at 6, 7.30, 9 and 10.15 o'clock.

Vesper Program, 7.30 P. M.
The solos in the mass and at vespers will be sustained by Miss Katherine V. Hennessy, soprano; Miss Ella M. Hennessy, contralto; Mr. Cornelius F. Calnan, tenor; Mr. Frank P. McCarthy, basso; assisted by Miss Vera Moody, Miss Mabel Haggerty, Mr. William J. Burns, Mr. Henry Driscoll and an augmented chorus. John F. McGlinchey, organist and director.

NOTRE DAME DE LOURDES

10.30 a. m.
Vidi Aquam .....Gregorian
Int. Resurrexi .....Gregorian
Kyrie, Sacred Heart.....C. Gounod
Gloria, Sacred Heart.....C. Gounod
Graduale, Haec Dies.....Gregorian
Alleluia ..... Gregorian
Sermon
Credo, Sacred Heart.....C. Gounod
Offertory
Hosanna .....Jules Granier
Tenor solo, Edward Gaudette
O Jesu me,
Quartet: Miss Irene Parthenais, soprano; Mrs. Cora Provencher, alto; Mr. Edward Gaudette, tenor; Mr. H. A. Racicot, basso.
Soprano solo and duet with tenor, Miss J. Parthenais and Edw. Gaudette.
O Jesu Me,
Grand chorus
Sanctus, Sacred Heart.....C. Gounod
Agnus, Sacred Heart.....C. Gounod
Communion, Pascha N.....Gregorian
Vespers 6.30 p. m.

ST. JOSEPH'S

Solemn High Mass at 10.30 a. m.
Processional—O Filii et Filiae.
Organ ..... Edouard Batiste
Vidi Aquam .....Gregorian
Introit, Resurrexi .....Gregorian
Kyrie ..... Gounod
Gloria ..... Gounod
Offertory:
Haec Dies .....P. Labadie
Credo ..... Kalliwoda
Soloist, Achille Lavallee.
Sanctus ..... Gounod
Benedictus ..... Gounod
Soloists—Eveline Benoit, Alice Bonin, Stella Latour, Eva Lussier, E. J. Larochelle, Telesphore Malo, Ernest J. Dupont, Alfred Ducharme.
Agnus Dei ..... Gounod
Recessional—Marche de Paques, G. Melkel

Solemn Vespers at 6.30 p. m.
Processional—Andante Cantabile,
Organ Charles M. Widor
Psalms ..... Gregorian
Organ
Recessional—Grand Chorus ..J. Grison
Organ
Telesphore Malo, director; Mrs. J. A. Bernard, organist.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

There will be special music at all services of St. Andrew's church, North Billerica Easter Sunday, and the following numbers will be given:

High mass 10 a. m., Rev. David J. Murphy, pastor.
Prelude ..... Le Blanc
Chanson Matinale .....Becker
Organ
Mass of the Good Shepherd
Rev. J. E. Turner, O. S. B.
(Kyrie, Gloria, Credo and Sanctus)
Agnus Dei .....Hummel
Offertory, O Filii et Filiae.....Bach
Miss Theresa Kirby
Postlude ..... Mozart
Organ
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament 3 p. m.
O Salutaris .....Rosewig
Mr. Charles E. Fairbrother
Regina Coeli .....Hamma
Tantum Ergo .....Rossaire
Choir
Adoremus, Laudate Dominum, VIII Tone,
Choir
Soloists, soprano, Miss Theresa Kirby; alto, Mrs. Henry O'Brien; tenor, Charles E. Fairbrother; bass, John T. Fairbrother. Organist, Miss Marietta Hoar.

ST. JOHN'S, NO. CHELMSFORD

Processional.
Prayer from Der Freischutz....Weber
Voluntary ..... Baltmann
Vidi Aquam .....Gregorian
Graduale.
Regali Ex Progenie .....Witzka
Kyrie ..... St. John
Introit ..... St. John
Gloria ..... St. John
Credo ..... St. John
Offertory ..... St. John
Ave Maria .....Rosewig
Mr. Henry Driscoll.
Sanctus ..... Guardian Angels
Benedictus ..... Guardian Angels
Agnus Dei .....Guardian Angels
Communion.
Regina Coeli .....Beethoven
Soprano solo,
Clara McCoy
Recessional:
Today He's Risen.
Soloists: Clara McCoy, soprano; Mary McCoy, alto; Henry Driscoll, baritone; John Green and John McQuade, bass; Gertrude M. Quigley, organist.

ST. ANNE'S CHURCH

Service 10.30.
Music by the regular male choir, 35 voices.
Prelude: Meditation, Carolus Duran;

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Owing to the cold weather last Saturday, hundreds of people were unable to attend our Bundle Sale. In response to requests this week for the bundles we have decided to place the balance left over last week on sale TODAY. Don't miss this your last opportunity as some the most valuable of the bundles still remain. You are bound to receive more than you pay for.

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Boys' Easter Suits

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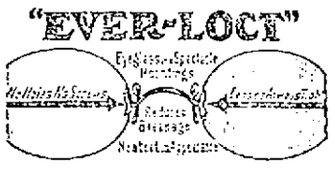

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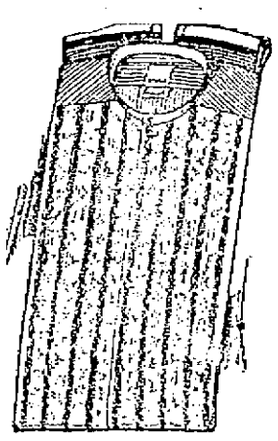

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IN POLICE COURT

Billerica Man Fined for Starting FiresWithout Permit

Last Tuesday afternoon Valentine O. Martin set a series of fires upon his own farm in Billerica. Shortly afterwards the forest warden, Ernest N. Bartlett, hove in view, but this in no wise affected the plans of Martin. The warden was told what he could do, etc., etc., and the fires burned merrily on. This morning Martin appeared before Judge Enright in the local police court.

He was charged with setting fires without a permit and through his attorney, Frank Goldman, denied his guilt. The trial was the main topic of interest in police court circles today.

Melvin Rogers, Esq., appeared for the prosecution and called the town clerk, Herbert A. King, to the witness stand. The clerk then read the minutes of the town meeting at which the statute in question was passed. He was sharply cross-examined by the opposing attorney.

The forest warden then advanced to the front and was sworn in as a witness. He stated that he called upon the defendant and told him not to burn up his brush. He said he refused to issue a permit to the defendant on account of the dry weather.

On cross-examination the warden said that Martin was well protected against the spread of the fire and that he had several sprinklers and seven men on hand in case the fire attempted to encroach on the land of his neighbors.

Mr. Goldman then asked the witness if he knew of any other fires that had been set and he said he did. Bartlett was cross-examined at some length. He said that there were no less than seven brush fires in activity when he arrived upon the scene.

The lawyer for the defence then brought up a point of law relative to the fact that amendment and previous law did not coincide in that both had not been accepted by the town by vote. After some discussion his point was overruled by the court.

The defendant stated that he had tried to get a permit to burn off the refuse from his farm of more than 100 acres and that it had been refused him. He said that he was a Russian and that every day he saw his neighbors who were not foreigners burning off their land.

Defendant said that he owned a large pine grove and wished to get it in readiness to let out for picnics this summer. It was for this reason that he started the fires, he said. He also said that he had helped put out fires which were started by his neighbors and broke away from their control.

The attorney for the defence in his summing up charged that his client had been discriminated against on account of his foreign birth and that he thought that the others who have been setting fires in Billerica should be brought into court as well as Martin. Judge Enright found the defendant guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of $15.

Arthur G. Farmer pleaded not guilty to recklessly driving an automobile and also to operating a machine without a license. His case was continued for one week.

LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

TO STARVE MONTENEGRO

ROME, April 3.—Despatches received here from Cettinje, the capital of Montenegro, indicate that Austria-Hungary is endeavoring to cut off Montenegro from all communication with the outside world and thus starve her. The dual monarchy is described as surrounding this small state with overwhelming forces of Croats on the mountains in addition to a garrison of 40,000 men at Cattaro, which prevents any communication with Herzegovina and the Adriatic.

Against about 100,000 Austrians, Montenegro can oppose only 15,000 men with limited artillery.

Something like 70,000 people from villages in Bosnia burned by Austrian troops have taken refuge in Montenegro.

GEN. JOFFRE OPTIMISTIC

PARIS, April 3.—A despatch from Dunkirk published today in the Eclair says:

"General Joffre in the course of a visit to Belgian headquarters to decorate certain Belgian officers with the Legion of Honor told King Albert and Premier De Broqueville that the war soon would come to an end to the advantage of the allies."

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK

LONDON, April 3.—The British steamer Lockwood was torpedoed by a German submarine Friday night off Start point in Devonshire. The members of the crew were saved. The Lockwood was owned in London. Built in 1896, she was of 677 tons and 236 feet long.

A German submarine pursued the Lockwood for several miles before being able to get a position from which she could discharge her torpedo. The projectile struck the steamer abaft the engine room but the crew of 25 found time to lower a lifeboat. Later they were picked up by a trawler and brought into port.

NORWEGIAN CAPTAIN KILLED

A Reuter despatch from Bergen says the Norwegian consul at Lisbon has reported to the owners that the Norwegian steamer Loevstakken was struck by projectiles during the German bombardment of Libau and seriously damaged. Captain Handsland was killed by a shell fragment. The Loevstakken is a vessel of 2,000 tons owned by S. A. Olsen & Co., of Bergen.

QUIET IN THE DARDANELLES

LONDON, April 3, 4.42 a. m.—A despatch to the Times from Mytilene dated Thursday, says:

"Except for a few shots on the 28th and the reported bombardment of Turkish positions near the Gulf of Saros by the Queen Elizabeth, there has been no fighting recently in the Dardanelles region.

"The British public, which may have taken too light hearted a view of the campaign against the gates of the Turkish empire, will have to exercise patience and be prepared to accept heavy losses with equanimity. Owing to the weather and other reasons the Turks and Germans had time to strengthen greatly the positions on both sides of the straits. They have a fair supply of artillery mounted in excellent positions which the allies' naval guns cannot always reach.

"There is nothing to show that the absence of comaraderie between the German and Turkish officers has diminished the fighting efficiency of the army to any considerable extent. The Turk shows at his best in defensive operations and much hard fighting in which the allies must suffer heavily may be expected before the allies are able to train their guns on the Porte."

ABOUT LORD ROSEBERRY

ROME, April 2, 9.10 p. m., via Paris, April 3, 5.10 a. m.—A statement has been issued by the British embassy, officially denying a report which has been current here that Lord Roseberry is coming to Rome on a special mission for his government or that any other person has been selected to undertake such a mission.

Many citizens of belligerent nations who have lived in Italy for years have made application for Italian citizenship, but the government has decided not to grant their requests until the close of the war.

BOMB FAILED TO EXPLODE

PARIS, April 3, 8.10 a. m.—A bomb which failed to explode was found in the garden of the Greek legation at Sofia, Bulgaria, close to the minister's private office, according to a Havas despatch from Athens. An investigation is being made by the police.

OFFICERS ORDERED HOME

BERLIN, via London, April 3, 10.15 a. m.—Five American army officers who have been attached to the German military forces in the capacity of observers, were ordered by cable today to return to the United States at once. The order came as a surprise as they expected to remain in Europe until the end of the war.

Lieut. Col. Joseph E. Kuhn, of the engineers who also has been acting as an observer, was not included in the order, as he had been designated as military attache at the embassy at Berlin to succeed Major George T. Langhorn, recalled.

The United States officers since their arrival in Germany on Dec. 20 have spent two weeks on the western front and one week in the east. Those affected by the order are Major Clarence Williams of the ordnance department; Major Dwight E. Aultman of the field artillery; Captain Samuel D. Rockenbach of the cavalry; Captain Wilson B. Burtt of the infantry and Captain Samuel F. Shartle of the coast artillery.

RESIGNED IN A BODY

PARIS, April 3, 1.15 a. m.—Information has been received here to the effect that officials of the Belgian public works department who agreed to continue their duties with the understanding that they would not be asked to aid in the construction of military works, resigned in a body when ordered by the German military authorities to direct the repair and construction of roads designed for strategic purposes. The valuable archaeological and historical collection belonging to M. Huyhrigts of Tongres, Belgium, is reported to have been ruined when his house was destroyed. The collection was valued by German experts before the beginning of the war at more than $87,500.

SOME IMPORTANT FIGHTING

VIENNA, via London, April 3, 10.15 a. m.—The fighting in Bukowina, according to information obtained from private sources, appears to be of more importance than is evident from the surface indications in official reports. Apparently the Austrians have gained a success of considerable proportions.

The Russians had massed in force to check a threatened Austro-Hungarian invasion and reoccupy northern Bukowina. They are said to have attached considerable weight to this operation because of the effect it might have on public opinion in Rumania. Austrian advices are to the effect that the Russians were completely defeated and driven back into Bessarabia with very heavy losses in proportion to the number engaged.

SUNK OFF LUNDY ISLAND

LONDON, April 3.—It was learned here today that the British steamer Eston, until recently known as the Southpoint, was sunk off Lundy island on the Devonshire coast on March 28 and not off Cape Finisterre, Spain, as was erroneously reported in a despatch from Lisbon, where the surviving members of the crew were landed.

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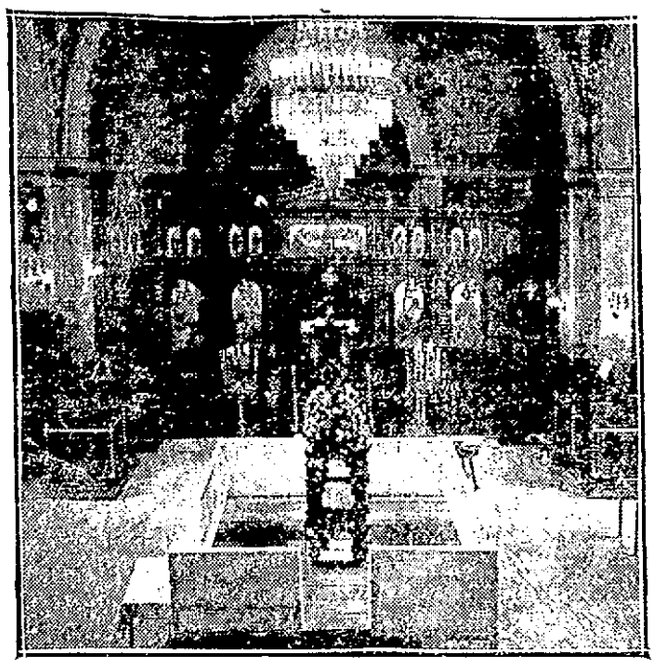

VIEW OF THE EPITAPHIOS FRONTING THE ALTAR IN THE GREEK CHURCH. (See page five.)

Photo by C. Elston

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The Bricklayers' union held its regular weekly meeting last night in Trades & Labor hall with a large attendance. The session was of long duration, but only business of a routine nature was transacted.

United Textile Workers

Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers visited Maynard Thursday night, where he conducted a large mass meeting for weavers, at which 32 applications for membership were received. Organizer McMahon will conduct a similar meeting in Fitchburg tomorrow afternoon.

Millmen, Local 1468

The Millmen's union, local 1468, held a meeting last night in Carpenters' hall, at which a grist of routine business was transacted. A number of communications were read and referred to the proper committees and several reports were read and accepted.

Plasterers' Union, Local 45

The regular weekly meeting of the Plasterers' union was held last night in Trades & Labor hall and considerable business of importance was transacted. Reports, communications and other business was passed upon and several of the members spoke on the good of the union. The labor forward movement was also discussed.

Electrical Workers' Union

The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers held a routine session in the union quarters in the Fiske building last night, and a number of applications for membership were received.

Cotton Manufacturers' Meeting

The spring meeting of the Cotton Manufacturers will be held April 28 and 29 at the Copley Plaza hotel, Boston, and Lowell mill men will attend.

Tremont & Suffolk Mills

The Tremont & Suffolk mills filed their annual statement for the year, ending December 31, 1914. The statement shows an increase in surplus of something over $850,000, and in addition, $800,000 of dividends were paid during the year, so that there seems to have been a profit of about $165,000. The statement is as follows:

ASSETS

Real estate, as shown by books	$1,228,090.69
Machinery	1,400,685.26
Manufactures, merchandise material and stock in process	1,078,442.16
Cash and debts receivable	934,423.05
Total	$4,641,621.16

LIABILITIES

Capital stock	$2,000,000.00
Accounts payable	82,928.67
Surplus, profit and loss	2,558,692.49
Total	$4,641,621.16

Tremont & Suffolk Dividend

The Tremont & Suffolk mills has declared a dividend of $2 per share payable May 15.

Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co.

The Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. is probably destined to fulfill the highest expectations of all the parties who organized it or bought its stock. The Russian embargo on wool, however, has temporarily cast a damper upon the immediate prospects. Ordinarily, the company uses 100 bales of wool daily, but at the present time it has only enough to last, at the present rate of usage, until May 1. If the allies are so fortunate as to open up the Dardanelles within a short space of time affairs with the company will improve shortly. As a result of the shortage the Bigelow-Hartford has been forced to reduce its working week to four days. Supt. Pierce, however, looks for brighter things, and says he hopes to give out something in a few days which will be interesting news.

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FUNERAL NOTICES

ROCKWELL—Died, in this city, April 3, at his home, 25 C street, Percy L. Rockwell, aged 16 years, 8 mos., 22 days. Funeral services will be held from his home, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

LEIGHTON—The funeral of John Leighton will take place Sunday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his home, 656 Bridge street. A high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church Monday morning at 8 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick cemetery, in charge of Charles H Molloy.

CONWAY—The funeral of the late John Conway will take place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Services at the grave in St. Patrick's cemetery. On Monday morning at 8 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

HARDISTY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hardisty will take place Monday morning, April 5, from her home, 736 Lawrence street, at eight o'clock. Funeral high mass of requiem at Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertaker J. J. O'Connell.

BRAWN—Died, in this city, April 3, at the Old Ladies' Home, Mrs. Roxy Lilley Brawn, aged 82 years and 6 months. Funeral services will be held from the home, 520 Fletcher street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

ATKINSON—The funeral of George T. Atkinson will take place Sunday night from his late home, 9 Hereford Place, at 8.15 o'clock. The remains will be sent on the 8.40 train to Stowe, Vermont, for burial. Arrangements in charge of Undertaker Savage.

DEATHS

LEWIS—Mrs Mary E. Lewis, formerly of this city, died Wednesday at the home of her son, George E. Lewis of Roxbury, Mass. She leaves besides her son, a sister, Miss H. Delia Clark of Roxbury, and three nephews, A. B. Graves of Nashua, N. H, and H P Graves and C. W. Graves of this city.

CHARETTE—Elias Charette, aged 31 years, 11 months, 20 days, an esteemed member of Branch Pawtucketville, A. C. F. died yesterday at his home, 403 Mammoth road, after a brief illness. He leaves beside his wife, his father, Telesphore Charette; two sons, Albert and Gerard and a daughter, Blanche Charette.

ROBBINS—Melvina A Robbins died April 1 at her home in Carlisle, aged 80 years. She leaves two brothers, George H Robbins of Carlisle and Henry Robbins of Westford.

ROCKWELL—Percy L. Rockwell, a student of the Lowell high school, died this morning at his home, 25 C street, aged 16 years, 8 mos., 22 days. He leaves besides his father, Guy L. Rockwell, one sister, Blanche, two brothers, Webster L. and Clifton R. Rockwell.

FIELDING—Fred A. Fielding, a former resident of this city and for the past years residing at Bozeman, Mont., died Wednesday at Los Angeles, Cal. Deceased was born in this city and for for some years he was a partner of his father, Henry A. Fielding in the hardware business at the present store of Bartlett & Dow. Thirty years ago he removed to Bozeman, Mont. The rigorous climate of Montana, however, impaired his death, and at times for the past few years, he and his wife made their home in Los Angeles, Cal. Deceased was favorably known in this city.

DEMAIO—Nicholas Demaio, aged 49 years, died this morning at St. John's hospital after a short illness. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Molloy. Deceased is survived by a wife, Phoebe. He was a member of N. E. O. P., Winchester lodge of New Haven, Conn.

FUNERALS

HANSUR—The funeral of Ruby Inez Mansur was held from the home of her parents yesterday afternoon. Rev. George M. Smiley, pastor of the Central Methodist church, officiated and Mrs. Agnes Hart sang appropriate selections. The floral offerings included the following: Pillow inscribed "Our Ruby," parents; cross on base surmounted by dove, Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Mansur and tributes from Ernest Mansur, Frank Mansur, Elsie and Hattie Mansur, Engine Co. No. 5, Mr. and Mrs. Flaherty, Mrs. Heald, Mrs. Hyde, Mrs. Pettingill and Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Hale and Mrs. Steady; ninth grade of Varnum school, Mrs. Woods and Mrs. Brown, friends, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simpson and Benjamin Simpson, Mrs. Darby and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Simpson. The bearers were William Koeler, Charles Koehler, Milo Payton and George Flavell. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. Undertaker George M. Eastman was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

BENSON—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine R. Benson was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her cousin, Mrs. D. A. Munson, 393 Beacon street. Rev. W. Earl Pittenger, pastor of the Centralville M. E. church, conducted the services and Mr. Pittenger and Mrs. Albert Swapp sang appropriate selections. Beautiful floral offerings were received from relatives and friends. Burial will take place in Biddeford, Me. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George M. Eastman.

EARDLEY—The funeral of Mrs. Jane Eardley was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her niece, Mrs. Frank Shields, 97 Jewett street. The floral offerings included the following: Pillow inscribed "Aunt," nephews of deceased, and cross on base from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shields. The bearers were James F. Conley, Michael F. Conley, Thomas Delaney, Irving Bancroft, Frank Shields and Michael Grogan. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were recited by Rev. Fr. Mullin of St. Michael's church. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker James W. McKenna.

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SHOT AT PANAMA

Corporal of the United States Coast Artillery Shot and Killed

COLON, April 3.—Corporal Langdon of the United States coast artillery was shot and killed and three other American soldiers were injured, one of them seriously, in a riot here yesterday. The soldiers were engaged in patrol duty in the tenderloin district. The shooting, which resulted in a general fight, was the outgrowth of an argument between a soldier, who is alleged to have been drinking, and a Panama policeman, who drew a weapon and fired at him.

Soldiers Unarmed

Many shots were fired by the Panama police, the civilians and soldiers all being unarmed. Brigadier-General Clarence R. Edwards, commander of the American forces in the canal zone, who is here to meet Major General Leonard Wood, commander of the department of the east, today, immediately took charge and ordered all soldiers from the streets.

A thorough investigation is being made by both the military and the Panama authorities. None of the Panama policemen or civilians was injured. The policeman who shot Langdon was arrested by order of the military authorities and was confined in a guard house. It is said that none of the three soldiers injured is fatally hurt.

The shooting occurred near the ball grounds where a team representing the Fifth United States Infantry was playing the Cristobal nine. Some 2000 soldiers of the Fifth, 10th and 29th Infantry regiments who were witnessing the ball game became greatly excited upon hearing of the shooting. Some missiles were thrown and several persons were injured. The excitement continued until army officials arrived and ordered the men to take trains for their stations.

TAKING WAR EASIER

BOSTON, April 3.—One of Harvard's seniors, Thomas K. Meloy of New York has just returned from a short trip in Europe, where he traveled through Holland, Germany, France, Switzerland and England. He claims that the Germans are the more easygoing in the face of the war, and that their theatres and all places of amusement are wide open, while in Paris one is reminded of a tomb.

The treatment of prisoners by the allies is declared to be better than that given their captives by the Germans. He says the prisoners in the hands of the Germans are usually dirty and thin looking. The German prisoners in England are treated like princes.

He claims that the feeling in Germany against Americans is becoming more and more bitter, due to the feeling that we are aiding the British with arms. Meloy claims that the Germans hate the Americans now worse than they do the French or Russians.

Another Harvard man will visit the war zone soon. Tracy Putnam, captain of the fencing team, is the man, and he leaves on April 9, to enlist in the ambulance service.

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SUPT. KERNAN

Reports on the Recent Meeting of Park Superintendents

Supt. Kernan, of the local park department recently attended a meeting of the park superintendents of New England cities and others interested in park or recreation work at Springfield, Mass. Highly interesting papers were read by Mr. A. E. Metzdorf, supervisor of recreations of Springfield, Mass.; Mr. H. J. Neale, city forester, Worcester, Mass.; Mr. R. P. Wainwright, superintendent of parks, New Britain, Conn.; Mr. T. A. Bray, superintendent of parks, Holyoke, Mass.; which were not only entertaining, but quite instructive. The institute was also addressed by the mayor of the city also Dr. Andrew J. Flanagan and Theodore R. Geisel, members of the Springfield park board.

Dr. Flanagan in his remarks pointed out that the well to do man has an opportunity for Sunday recreation that is denied by law to the man in humbler circumstances. At the golf or country clubs the man of means can play golf all day Sunday, if he wishes. He can also take a long trip in his motor car. A walk on any afternoon in summer through the congested sections of Springfield, Dr. Flanagan said, will prove to anyone the need of recreation activities for the men, women and children who do not belong to the country club and automobile class of society. The feeling of the community in the matter of Sunday recreation should be respected by boards of park commissions or other governing bodies that may have occasion to legislate on matters of Sunday amusement. It is extremely unfair for people to condemn Sunday amusement and then offer no solution to the recreation problem.

In answer to Dr. Flanagan's questions, Mr. S. Wales Dixon, the supervisor of recreation in Hartford, Conn., told how the Sunday sports are managed in that city. Baseball, golf and tennis are permitted on Sunday afternoons under the provisions of a recently enacted state law, which puts the control of such sports in the hands of the park commissioners of the various towns and cities of Connecticut. No admission fee can be charged at the Sunday games and "series" games for championship cannot be played. It is also forbidden to pass the hat after a game. Thus the sport is kept on an absolutely amateur basis and is made as impromptu as possible. There are fifteen baseball diamonds in Colt park, Hartford, and they are used every pleasant Sunday afternoon from 2 until sunset. The law has worked out admirably in Hartford, Mr. Dixon said.

The importance of the school-house as the community center was emphasized by Mr. Mertzdorf in his talk on the progress of recreation work in the city. He told of the work of the 18 summer playgrounds and the two swimming beaches that are maintained in the city. The policy adopted last fall of keeping the playgrounds open after school hours proved very successful and should be continued. There seems to be a widespread idea that the play spirit stops at the end of August, but this is not true;—the children who use the playgrounds in the summer need them just as much during the school term after school hours.

In the evening all the guests were taken in city automobiles on a tour to six schoolhouses located in different parts of the city that they might witness dances run under the direction and supervision of the park commission of the city. Miss Emily Skilton and Mrs. Alvah Sturgess of Lowell, Mass., were guests of the association.

The Mr. Wales Dixon mentioned is to address a meeting of the board of trade in the near future.

ANNUAL CHARITY BALL

AFFAIR IN AID OF ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL WILL BE UNIQUE SOCIAL EVENT

All arrangements have now been completed for the annual charity ball for St. John's hospital which will be held Wednesday evening, April 7, in Associate hall. Every detail has been attended to with a thoroughness which promises an evening of unique enjoyment. Preceding the dancing there will be a concert from 8 to 9 and dancing will be held from 9 to 2. Music will be by the famous Hoppe's orchestra. The decorations and electrical effects will be unusually striking. The spotlight of the B. F. Keith's theatre has been loaned for the occasion, and there will be moonlight dances and other novelties. During one dance, only the instruments in the band will be illuminated. The aim has been to introduce refined features of a surprising nature.

William C. Purcell is floor director, assisted by a large number of aids. Hugh J. Molloy is chairman of the reception committee. Heads of other committees are: Printing and distribution of tickets; Miss Rose Dowd, decorations, Mrs. James Gookin; music, Mrs. Nano Gallagher Leahey; refreshments, Mrs. John M. Murphy; junior assembly, Mrs. Henry L. Rourke; dancing, Mrs. John H. Donnelly.

STAND TO BE COUNTED

BOARD OF TRADE WANTS EVERYBODY ENUMERATED BY CENSUS ENUMERATORS

The Lowell board of trade is interested in the state census which will be started in this city Monday through the bureau of statistics and accordingly the members of the board have issued the following letter to the public of Lowell.

"The commonwealth of Massachusetts through the bureau of statistics is about to begin the task of compiling the state census. This is a custom carried out every five years. The enumerators will begin their canvass Monday and it is very important that each and every resident be properly recorded.

"The population of a city determines its standing and Lowell today occupies fourth place with New Bedford and Cambridge close competitors for this position.

"Therefore, let each resident make an endeavor to be properly recorded and assist the enumerators whenever possible. Headquarters have been established at the board of trade office and information will be gladly furnished.

"All together to maintain the standing of the city.

Executive committee.

Lowell Board of Trade.

TRAGEDY IN CAB

Train Runs Wild With Engineer Dead at the Throttle

NEW YORK, April 3.—With the engineer dead, instantly killed when he put his head out of the cab window for a moment, the fast Knickerbocker express of the New Haven road, roaring along at high speed from Boston to New York, ran wild for nearly a mile last night, just outside this city.

Not until the helper discovered the tragedy, in the dimly lighted cab, and leaped to the controller, was the long train, with its dozens of passengers, brought to a standstill. The fireman finally brought the train into the Grand Central station.

Struck by Another Train

Charles A. McConville, a veteran in the service of the New Haven, was the engineer who lost his life so suddenly. Just after the train had passed Woodlawn he leaned out of the window of the electric locomotive, which had replaced the steam engine at Stamford, to examine the trucks. As his body hung half out of the window, another passenger train drove by in the opposite direction. One of the cars struck McConville's head, and in an instant he was lifeless, and his body, swayed by the motion of the train, slid back into the cab.

The noise of the blow and the falling body attracted the attention of the fireman, Henry Greszer. He stepped to the engineer's side of the cab, lifted the body aside and slowly shut off the power, bringing the train to a stop. In the meantime the train had traveled nearly a mile, but the passengers were unconscious of the danger.

When McConville's body had been carried back to one of the baggage cars Greszer brought the train into this city.

McConville was 48 years old and had been in the service of the New Haven road for 30 years. His home was in New Haven, and he leaves a wife and three children.

The body will be carried back to his home city for burial.

SUBMARINE L-1 LISTED

QUINCY CRAFT DIVES 200 FEET—CAN STAY DOWN FOR TWO DAYS

PROVINCETOWN, April 3—The submarine torpedo boat L-1, which has been built by the Electric Boat company for the United States navy, was tried off Cape Cod yesterday, and she gave entire satisfaction to her designers.

This boat is one of the Holland type, which has been built at the yards of the Fore River Engine company, and is one of a group of four which were authorized by congress in 1913.

Submerged 200 Feet

The government requires that these boats should be submerged to a depth of 200 feet, that they shall be capable of staying under water at rest for 48 hours and shall make 15 nautical miles an hour on the surface and seven nautical miles when submerged.

It was an ideal day for the trial and the new craft left the Fore River shipyard at Quincy, Mass., early in the morning and made the run across Plymouth bay under her own power very satisfactorily. There is lots of deep water off the cape, and this course for speed trials as well as for the submergence test is regarded as the best on the coast.

Dives Under Perfect Control

The new L-1 ran out to the deep spot and then without any preparation began to make her dive. She started slowly and under perfect control, and gradually settled in the water until she was down 200 feet, according to the instruments on board, which register the depth of submergency.

Then she rested and allowed the full pressure of the water to thoroughly test the construction of the hull, and while she rested the engineers carefully inspected every part of the vessel and particularly those parts where there might be any signs of strain.

The submarine stood the test well. There were no indications anywhere of weakness and not a single drop of water was taken in at any of the seams or joints. After staying submerged for some time and until the engineers were well satisfied with the performance of the boat she came again to the surface and then proceeded under her own power back to the Fore River yard.

Y. M. C. I. 25TH ANNIVERSARY

The Y. M. C. I. will hold its regular meeting tomorrow morning in the society quarters in Stackpole street and considerable business of importance will come up for transaction. Final arrangements for the 25th anniversary banquet to be held on Monday evening, April 12, will also be made. At a recent meeting the following committees were appointed to take charge of the banquet:

Banquet committee—John H. Shea, chairman; Michael Concannon, secretary; John King, treasurer; John McCaffery, James Burns, Patrick Farrell, Frank McCartin, Joseph Lecam, William Welsh, John Mulligan, Martin Conley, John Cole, Paul Clark.

Ticket and program committee—John Cole, James Burns, Patrick Farrell.

Decorations and music committee—John King, Joseph Lecam, Frank Haggerty.

Entertainment committee—Martin Conley, chairman.

Catering committee—Frank McCartin, John McCaffery, John Mulligan, Paul Clark, William Welsh.

Publicity committee—Frank Haggerty, Michael Concannon.

The following members were also appointed on the literary committee: Andrew Doyle, chairman; Thomas Clark, Joseph McCartin, John King, Charles Burns, John X. Payne, John Tansey, John Lecam, Frank Roane and Walter Kelley.

The library which is now open for inspection, compares favorably with that of any society library or reading room in the city. Electric lights have been installed and new furniture will be put in some time next week.

GRASS FIRE IN BILLERICA

A brush and grass fire broke out on land between St. Andrew's church and the Talbot Chemical company's plant at North Billerica early this afternoon and threatened to develop into a serious blaze on account of the high wind blowing at the time. An alarm was sounded and the North Billerica department responded in quick time and succeeded in quenching the blaze before any serious damage resulted.

THEY DO SAY

That some of the Easter lilies look sick.

That Lieut. Duncan expected his promotion.

That Gerald "sold out to Raymond" Friday night.

That the local firemen will soon start drilling.

That the labor leaders will be very active this month.

That another epidemic of marriages is due next week.

That city hall is away off on the meaning of economy.

That there are worse places than a submarine in a storm.

That everybody is wondering who the new sergeant will be.

That even the undertaker may be sincere in wishing you well.

That one sees nearly everybody but police in the new police auto.

That Capt. Walton still retains his youthful step despite his 79 years.

That the appointment of Lieut. Duncan meets with approval everywhere.

That "Charlie" learned something about hydrants during the past week.

That the ministers' conference at city hall was a most interesting one.

That the members of the fair sex are hoping for a good day tomorrow.

That once again we shall see the woman of 60 who sports a girlish hat.

That chewing gum and chewing tobacco are almost equally undesirable.

That Gay street in North Chelmsford may be paved within the next few years.

That Joe is again visiting his friend J. P., who he has not seen for a long time.

That many of the young men of the city enjoyed "visiting" Thursday night.

That Mary C. makes a very capable director for the Sacred Heart parish play.

That English grammar received another jolt from city hall during the week.

That Lowell people are to attend the brilliant "Celtic" ball in Lawrence, April 9.

That the oil cart and car sprinklers will be welcomed by all residents of this city.

That collectors may come and collectors may go, but Georgie goes on forever.

That Albert had a pretty hard time digesting his Welsh "rabbit" the other night.

That judges may come and judges may go, but the "Dutch verdict" goes on forever.

That a $3000 celebration would be as big a waste as certain salaries paid to high officials.

That the smiling countenance of Perry Thompson is about to dawn on the political horizon.

That the new quarters of the Leather Workers' union present a very attractive appearance.

That the small boys in No. Chelmsford have heard the crack of the bat 'way down in Dixie.

That automobile accidents will occur until chauffeurs are trained to go slow and use their judgment.

That the discussion over the recent postoffice break at North Chelmsford has completely died out.

That George Lynch is revamping a lot of venerable jokes for the coming banquet of the Y. M. C. I.

That the talented Sunday school teachers of the Sacred Heart church are rehearsing for their play.

That the Lowell board of trade essay contest will be a yearly contest among the school children.

That Postmaster Neil Mahoney of North Billerica will lead the march at the Mathews' Easter Monday ball.

That the mayor's second term boosters should leave one of those petitions in the street railway men's lobby.

That it is as hard to fool school children with explanations why the speech is bad as it is to fool adults.

That Edmond Gill, the genial messenger at the state house objects to being called an amateur billiard player.

That while needy men want work the city should not spend its money in the entertainment of out-of-town militiamen.

That according to the members of the South Lowell Improvement association, South Lowell will remain on the map.

That over 3000 married men followed the retreat exercises at St. Joseph's and St. Jean Baptiste churches this week.

Tht Con Cronin is thinking about getting the old basketball stars together for a series with the Centralville A. C.

That the dancing craze has all but died out, to the regret of those to whom it gave a certain rejuvenation.

That nowadays before a girl falls in love, she finds out whether it is financially worth while.

That the woman who marches down the aisle tomorrow with a new bonnet will not have her mind on her prayers all the time.

That Rev. Dr. Bartlett made the fur fly in fact, when he put whiskers on Inspector Bigelow and a wig on his running-mate.

That Officer Hessian couldn't find a set of whiskers to match his complexion and hence was not detailed for sleuth work.

That Park Commissioner Rountree is one of the favored few who have been given a ride in the new police department auto.

That Mayor Curley's aversion for the nude in motion pictures unfits him for attendance at anything in the nature of a Sealey dinner.

That the residents of the Oaklands are wide awake and are getting what they want, thanks to their improvement association.

That Principal Irish presented an object lesson to Mayor Murphy on the need of a new high school at the Lowell day exercises.

That the last basketball game played in this city was a revelation when brought in contrast with some of the previous games.

That perhaps the militiamen will do as the labor men did last year and forego the pleasure of a celebration on account of the city's needs.

That the militiamen will have an opportunity to get exercise at their annual maneuvers without taking extra exercise at the city's expense.

That many a dolled up girl who looks perpetually at the show windows is more closely related to the wax figure inside than she'd care to acknowledge.

That if it wasn't Easter Sunday some fine sermons might be preached tomorrow with Winnie MacBrayne's recent Fourth of July oration as a text.

That if a liquor inspector can catch three liquor dealers by means of false whiskers what may be expected of another liquor inspector if he wears a wig.

That with the coming of the warm weather the young one tries to get freckles and the other runs around to collect lotions and aids to the injured.

That Miles P. Moloney, the street railwayman found that rig in the Oaklands though the cop got the credit. Miles was exonerated, as it were.

That some of the "boys" were tipped in advance as to the disguises while others were not, and again our old friend "equal rights, etc." received a bump.

That while everybody in Centralville knew in advance that the liquor inspectors were coming, no advance information as to their visit reached Salem street.

That "Mike" Markham was very much pleased when a Sun reporter informed him his son Edwin had won the gold medal in the board of trade essay contest.

That Special Officer Clark has been assigned to further investigate that recent drowning in Hale's brook, the superintendent having previously made an investigation.

That Mayor Murphy presented his views on the Fourth of July celebration to the Ladies of the G. A. R. who as yet have not been given the right to vote for mayor.

That the strangest thing about this popular Bachelor club that is soon to run a show is that it is permitted to exist with so many eligible young men in its membership.

That the unemployed who can't get work because the city hasn't sufficient money are paraphrasing Spartans of old and are saying: "Loafing to make a Lowell holiday."

That there is something wrong with the man who tells you today that he is terribly in debt and tomorrow asks you to make plans for accompanying him to the Panama canal.

That the mayor some day will realize that when he withholds news from The Sun he is attempting to deprive thousands of citizens of a privilege which is not to be denied them.

That the mayor's decision in the Petrie case was known in Boston before it was given out in this city and there was no copy for The Sun but this paper got the copy nevertheless.

That now that the elections are over in Billerica and other neighboring towns and the enforcement of the liquor laws therein provided for, the big chief will give his undivided attention to law-enforcement in Lowell.

That Officer Jack Leighton will be missed from Merrimack square. Before becoming a traffic officer he had patrolled the Merrimack square beat for a number of years and made many friends. He was frequently called upon to use his own judgment, and his judgment never erred.

OPTICAL SERVICE

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THE RICHMOND STOPPED

NEW YORK, April 3.—When the Clyde Line steamer Richmond passed Staten island yesterday afternoon, for Wilmington, N. C., and Georgetown, S. C., the torpedo boat destroyer McDougal, anchored on neutrality duty, hoisted the International code signal T. X. B. "Stop instantly." This was because the Richmond had not shown the identification signal assigned to her when her papers were issued at the custom house.

Capt. Borum of the Richmond kept right on, however, and Lieut. Commander Leigh C. Palmer of the McDougal, then fired a shot, which brought the Richmond to.

The Navy Yard tug Narkita, with an officer from the McDougal on board, went to the Richmond and boarded her in the Narrows.

The officer asked Capt. Borum why he had not displayed signals.

Capt. Borum apologized and said he did not know, until the shot was fired, that he had been ordered to stop. In a quarter of an hour the Richmond, her papers being found all right, was allowed to proceed.

Today is "Quarter Day" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

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Well—everyone knows the effect of Pine Forests on Coughs. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a remedy which brings quick relief for Whooping Cough, loosens the mucous, soothes the lining of the throat and lungs, and makes the coughing spells less severe. A family with growing children should not be without it. Keep it handy for all Coughs and Colds. 25c at your Druggist.

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OVER SIX YEARS LATER Mr. Sanborn said: "Doan's Kidney Pills never fail to give me relief and I have the same faith in them now as I have always had."

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THE DEATH OF SUTPHEN

INQUEST SHOWS THE B. & M. RAILROAD WAS NOT TO BLAME FOR THE FATALITY

Associate Justice Frederick N. Chandler of Lawrence yesterday gave out a finding on the inquest held recently on the death of George Sutphen, 65, a woodchopper who lived in a hut near Lowell Junction and who met his death by being run over by a Boston & Maine train on the tracks between Lowell Junction and Ballardvale in January. After reviewing the evidence, Judge Chandler said: "I find that Stephen Sutphen met his death by being run over by a theatre train of the Boston & Maine railroad, and from the extent of his injuries, that he must have been instantly killed. I find that whatever blame attaches to anyone for his death was his own."

BIG WINDOW SMASHED

WOMAN FELL AGAINST WINDOW IN NELSON'S STORE AFTER COLLIDING WITH MAN

A peculiar accident occurred at the corner of Central and Middle streets shortly before 11 o'clock this forenoon when a man and woman collided on the sidewalk in turning the corner and hence a large plate glass window in Nelson's department store was smashed.

According to witnesses, as a man hurried down Middle street and was about to turn into Central, he collided with a woman who was walking slowly toward him and evidently gazing into the store windows. The force with which the man bumped the woman knocked her off her feet and she struck against the corner plate glass window, smashing the lower part of it and cracking the entire window. The woman who fell against the window did not sustain the slightest injury, it is said, while the man also missed the flying glass.

The peculiarity of the accident caused a large crowd to gather around the window and it was necessary to station a clerk on the sidewalk to keep persons from standing too near the window as it was feared the rest of the glass would fall in. The window damaged was nine feet high and six feet wide and the glass was three-sixteenths of an inch thick.

MOTHER RESCUES SON

BOSTON, April 3—Nelson Delamine, 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Delamine of 30 Kempt road, West Roxbury, was rescued by his mother at 7.30 last night when their home was destroyed by fire.

The boy was asleep in a bedroom when the fire was discovered by Mrs. Delamine while she was sitting with her husband in the kitchen of their home, a one and one-half story bungalow. The mother smelled smoke, and on opening the bedroom door was met by a rush of smoke and flames. She rushed into the room, grabbed up the sleeping boy and carried him outside.

Mr. Delamine tried to save some of the furniture, but was forced to leave the house because of the rapid headway of the flames, and nothing was saved but the clothes the members of the family wore at the time, the boy being clad only in his pajamas.

The fire brought out apparatus from the West Roxbury and Dedham departments, box 347 of the Boston department and box 321 of the Dedham department, which are located on the same post, being sounded. The fire started in a closet in the bedroom, but the cause is unknown.

The damage is estimated at $1150, of which $850 was to the house.

PAINTINGS DESTROYED

NEWTON, April 3.—Paintings estimated to be worth several thousands dollars were destroyed last evening, when the one-story concrete bungalow of Giovanni Troselli, at 18 Moreland avenue, Newton Centre, was gutted by fire.

Mr. Troselli, who is a maker of elaborate frames for portraits, as well as a painter, lives alone. Almost simultaneous with his return to the bungalow and his discovery of the fire, neighbors also perceived it.

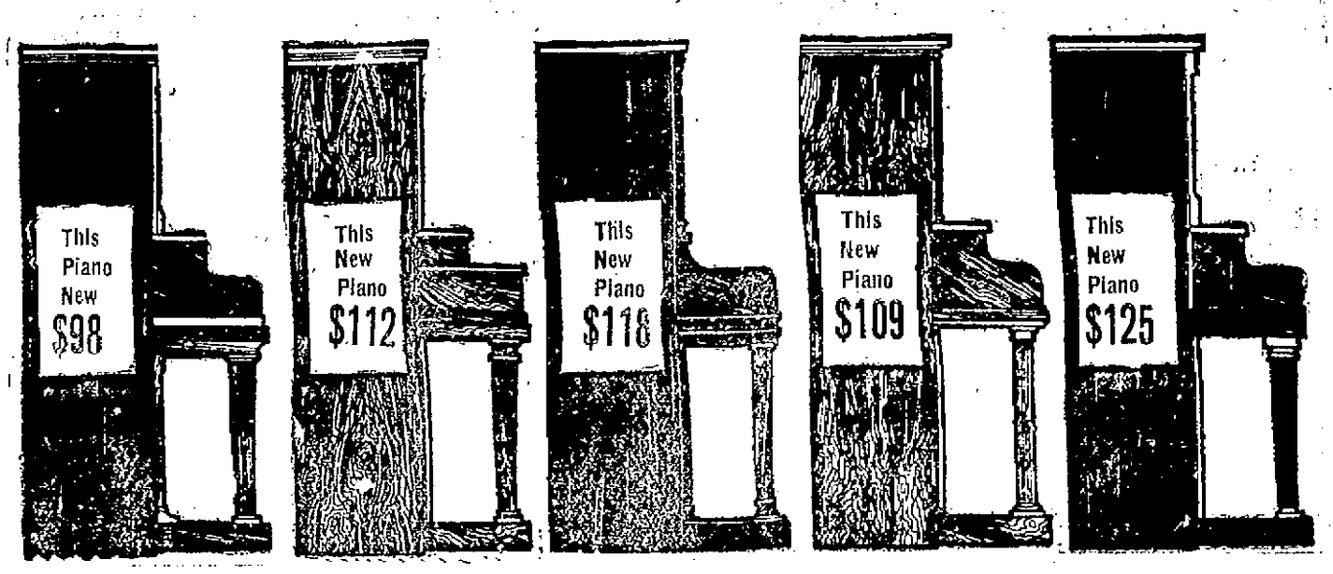
In response to an alarm from box 731 the fire apparatus arrived only in time to find the structure a mass of flames.

PRICE OF COAL DROPS

The price of coal for domestic uses has dropped 25 cents a ton in this city this month and hence this is a good time to fill the coal bins for next season. The prices quoted by local dealers now are: Stove and egg coal, $7.75; No. 1 nut, $8.00; No. 2 nut, $6.75; Lehigh, $8.25.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

ANYBODY HAVING KITCHEN range or gas dome, fairly good condition, for sale, apply M 33, Sun Office.



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THE DYESTUFF CRISIS

DYE MEN TO SEND ENVOYS TO BRYAN—METZ SUGGESTS INDUSTRIAL WAR ON ENGLAND

PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—Appointment of a committee to place at once before the state department at Washington "the acute crisis in the dyestuff industry at present confronting this country and urge in strongest terms that such steps be taken as shall relieve the situation," was decided at a conference of dye men held here yesterday under the auspices of the directors and advisory board of the National Association of Hosiery and Underwear manufacturers.

Charles E. Leippe of Reading, president of the association; Congressman Herman A. Metz of New York, and D. F. Waters, president of the Master Dyers' association, were appointed members of the committee, which was also empowered to act in conjunction with individuals, officers and committees of other similar organizations throughout the country.

Several speakers at the conference said that the supply of dyestuffs now in the United States would last only about two months.

American manufacturers were urged to take immediate concerted action to obtain a modification of Great Britain's rules governing oversea commerce to neutral countries by Representative Metz, who addressed the conference. Unless the British government changes its policy, Mr. Metz declared, hundreds of factories throughout the United States must suspend operations and about 300,000 men will be thrown out of employment.

"The state department is doing all it can to cope with the situation," said Representative Metz, "but it is compelled to respect international law. The manufacturers of this country will have to take the matter out of the hands of the state department and handle it themselves by declaring an industrial war on England.

"They will have to tell England that unless she assumes a more reasonable attitude she will be deprived of cotton, ammunition and other things she has been buying from American sources in great quantities."

Mary, Thomas, Peter and the Others Were as Human as You Are: They Saw and heard the Risen Christ. Dr. Bartlett Tells the Story Sunday Night.

FIGHT FIRE AT HOSPITAL

NEW YORK, April 3.—Two barrels, containing wood and coal, in the rear yard of the Red Cross hospital, One Hundredth street and Central Park West, caught fire at 7.40 o'clock Thursday night and were sending up clouds of smoke before the flames were discovered.

The telephone operator, Miss May Sheehan, sent in a still alarm of fire and the nurses and doctors formed a bucket brigade and attacked the blaze. In a cellar within twenty feet of the blazing barrels were stored several cases of explosive chemicals. The doctors and nurses kept the fire in check until the arrival of the engines. The firemen quickly disposed of the fire.

There are fifty patients in the hospital. Few of them knew there was a fire and there was no panic.

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SWISS SINGER THINKS SWOBODA IS INNOCENT

GENEVA, April 3.—Flora Treischler, a Swiss singer whose home is in this city and who is a warm friend of Raymond Swoboda, declared yesterday she believed the man accused of causing the fire aboard the steamer La Touraine is the victim of "an odious plot or terrible mistake."

"I have known Mr. Swoboda for six years,' she said. "I knew he was engaged in commercial and financial affairs but did not know the details for he never discussed his business affairs. He belongs to a wealthy New York family but his father cut off his allowance after several disagreements. One of his brothers is serving now as an interpreter with a British cavalry regiment.

"My friend never belonged to the German or the Austrian army. He still has relatives in Germany and may have been photographed in uniform in some of them.

"I know Mr. Swoboda closed an important deal to introduce in France a number of American products. The five trunks found in his Paris office contained samples. He intended also to make an effort to establish a business in Switzerland for he wrote me asking what were the prospects and where certain articles were likely to have the best sale.

"I received a letter from him which had been written aboard the Touraine telling what a narrow escape the ship had had. He gave a long description of the fire, which he said the officers believed must have been caused by an infernal machine placed in the hold."

MADE AUTOMOBILE TRIPS

PARIS, April 3.—Several automobile trips into the French provinces were made by Raymond Swoboda, now under arrest, charged with being responsible for the fire aboard the steamship La Touraine, according to information received by the Petit Journal. These journeys are said to have been made at various times between August and December last. Swoboda is said to have been seen at Nantes, Tours and Chatellerault among other places. The police now are trying to learn the purpose of these trips. A large government firearms factory is located at Chatellerault.

NO ALUM in CLEVELAND'S SUPERIOR BAKING POWDER

BIG FUNERAL PARADE ON DEATH OF CHRIST

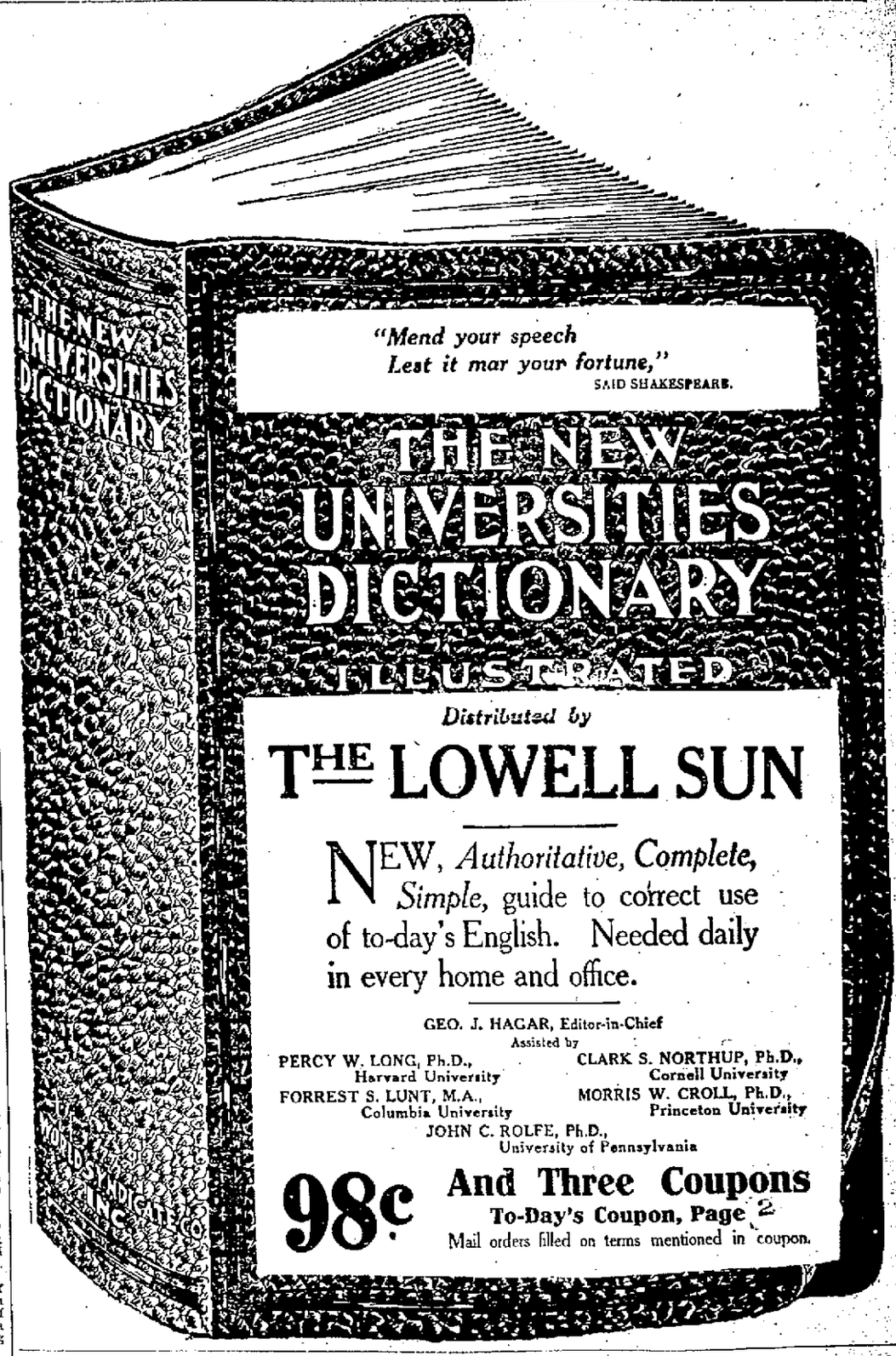
The members of the Greek Orthodox church in Jefferson street observed the feast of Good Friday last night with special services in the church, followed by a procession through the Greek colony, in which the "Epitaphios" or honorary casket supposed to contain the body of Christ, was carried by eight men of the parish.

The services started at 7.30 o'clock and were attended by thousands of men, women and children. The "Epitaphios" had been placed in the centre of the church under a canopy of beautiful flowers, and while the faithful gathered in solemn veneration. The church was beautifully illuminated for the occasion and each member of the congregation held a lighted taper in his hand typical of the new light dawning upon the world in the resurrection of Christ.

At the close of the services, which consisted of the recitation of prayers and the singing of dirges, the congregation left the church and assembled in the street for a procession. The Sixth regiment band headed the line and played Chopin's "Marche Funebra," while in the rear came the "Epitaphios" borne by eight men of the parish. The pastor, Rev. Nestor Sousidis followed escorted by altar boys, swinging censors. The Greek Holy regiment came next and following them were thousands of worshippers, who carried lighted tapers, while the rear end of the line was taken up by the Philarmonic band and the church choir.

The procession wended its way through Jefferson, Lewis, Market, Adams, Cross and Jefferson streets into the church. Along the route the usual lights in homes and coffee houses were extinguished and lighted tapers decorated the windows. At the close of the procession the floral canopy was torn to pieces by the congregation and petals of roses or other flowers were carried home for souvenirs.

Special services were held in the church this morning and tomorrow the great feast of Easter will be observed in a fitting manner.



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MRS. RAY'S LOW COST MENUS

Housekeepers are Advised to Cut These Menus Out for Use During the Coming Week

SUNDAY

Breakfast—Bananas—Baked Sausage—Baked Potatoes—Spider Corn Bread—Coffee.

Dinner—Mushroom Soup—Roast Beef with Yorkshire Muffins—Boiled Sweet Potatoes—String Beans—Stuffed Apple Salad—Madeira Pudding.

Supper—Codfish Wiggle—Pear Sauce—Cream Puffs—Cocoa.

Breakfast

SPIDER CORN BREAD—Cream two eggs with two tablespoons of sugar. Add two cups of milk, a cup and a half of corn meal and a quarter of a cup of milk, but do not stir. Bake half an hour. When done it should be like custard on top.

Dinner

MUSHROOM SOUP—Boil three cups of milk with one cup of water and thicken with a tablespoon of flour. Add half a can of chopped mushrooms and boil one minute longer.

YORKSHIRE MUFFINS—Mix two cups of flour with three eggs and a cup and three-quarters of milk. Half an hour before the roast beef is done turn into the pan with roast and bake.

STUFFED APPLE SALAD—Pare and core the apples, cut in thick slices and fill with chopped dates and nuts:

MADEIRA PUDDING — Chop fine half a pound of suet, mix with two cups of bread crumbs, half a cup of sugar, the same of flour, two eggs, and two glasses of sherry. Boil hard four hours and serve with a sauce made by blending equal parts of butter and sugar and adding a little sherry.

Supper

CODFISH WIGGLE—Freshen a cup of codfish and boil one minute. Add two cups of milk, a tablespoon of butter, and the same of flour. Boil one minute and then add half a can of peas and let all come to a boil.

MONDAY

Breakfast—Cream of Wheat with Dates—Baked Eggs—Toast—Coffee.

Luncheon—Chicken Stew—Swiss Fondu—Toast—Pear Sauce—Tea.

Dinner—Spanish Soup—Boston Oyster Pie—Fried Celery—Parker House Rolls—Fruit Salad—Mince Pie and cheese

Breakfast

BAKED EGGS—Separate as many eggs as you desire to serve, saving yolks whole. Four whites of six eggs add one even teaspoon baking powder and beat dry. Butter gem pans or any moulds, divide the white mixture to correspond to the number of yolks. Put the white part in the molds, then drop the yolks (whole) in center of white, sprinkle with salt and pepper, dot with bits of butter and bake brown.

Luncheon

CHICKEN STEW—Cut all the meat from the chicken and cover the bones with cold water. Add one onion and simmer two hours. Then strain, return to the fire, add the meat, season, and serve without straining.

SWISS FONDU—Cut into small and thin slices half pound of Swiss cheese. Place in pan half cup of milk, a teaspoon of Worcestershire sauce and the cheese. Stir until the cheese is melted and then add one beaten egg, whip half a minute, and serve on thin strips of buttered toast.

Dinner

SPANISH SOUP—Chop enough red and green peppers to make three tablespoons. Melt two tablespoons of butter and the same of flour, when smooth and the peppers and stir five minutes. Then add three cups of water (or soup stock), two cups of tomatoes. Cover and boil twenty minutes. Strain and add half a cup of boiled macaroni.

BOSTON OYSTER PIE—Boil three large potatoes and slice when done. Boil one minute one quart of oysters in their own liquor, then place a layer of the sliced potatoes and butter. Continue until the dish is full and pour over the oyster broth and a little melted butter. Cover with a rich pie crust and bake in a moderate oven three-quarters of an hour.

FRIED CELERY—Mix two cups of flour, two teaspoons of baking powder and a cup and a half of milk, two eggs a tablespoon of butter, and half a teaspoon of salt. Cut the celery in pieces four inches long and boil 20 minutes. Dip in the batter and fry in deep, boiling fat.

TUESDAY

Breakfast—Oranges—Old Fashioned Omelet—Re-heated Rolls—Coffee.

Luncheon—Mexican Rabbit—Toast—Stewed Figs—Cocoa—Hermits.

Dinner—Puree of Carrots—Baked Veal Chops—Baked Sweet Potatoes—Fried Bananas—Lettuce with Delmonico Dressing—German Prune Pudding.

Breakfast

OLD FASHIONED OMELET—Beat three eggs, add three tablespoons of milk, a teaspoon of cornstarch, and a little salt. Butter a frying pan and, when hot, turn in enough of the mixture to well cover the bottom. When brown, fold and lay on a hot platter. Continue until the mixture is all used. Serve piping hot with a tablespoon of melted butter poured over all.

Luncheon

MEXICAN RABBIT—Slice one onion and fry until brown in a little butter. Pour in a can of tomatoes, season, boil ten minutes, and add two eggs well beaten. Serve on squares of buttered toast.

HERMITS—Mix a cup and a half of sugar, a cup of shortening, two eggs, a cup of chopped raisins, a teaspoon of soda dissolved in half a cup of water and flour enough to roll. Cut with a small cookie cutter and bake.

Dinner

PUREE OF CARROTS—Fry brown in butter one cup of chopped raw carrots. Add water to cover, simmer until soft, add six cups of stock and thicken with two beaten eggs. Serve at once.

FRIED BANANAS—Peel and cut in half lengthwise, fry in butter until brown, turn and fry on the other side. Before serving, add a little lemon juice.

DELMONICO DRESSING—Chop fine, one hard boiled egg, and mix with a teaspoon each of tomato catsup and Worcestershire sauce. Then add a tablespoon of chopped red peppers and two tablespoons each of oil and tarragon vinegar.

GERMAN PRUNE PUDDING—Boil and mash prunes enough to make a cup, add half a cup of sugar, a quarter of a teaspoon of cinnamon, the juice of half a lemon and a teaspoon of grated lemon rind. Make a biscuit dough a little richer than for biscuits, roll out, place in a baking pan, cover with the prune mixture and bake. Serve cold with cream.

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast—Grapefruit—Tripe—Potato Chips—Buckwheat Griddle Cakes—Coffee.

Luncheon—Egg Salad, Boiled Dressing—Bread and Butter—Apple Sauce—Cocoa.

Dinner—Pea Soup—Broiled Steak Potatoes Stuffed With Cheese—Buttered Beets—Lima Bean Salad—Orange Short Cake.

Breakfast

BUCKWHEAT GRIDDLE CAKES:—Mix two cups of buckwheat flour with two cups of milk, and two teaspoons each of sugar and baking powder. Bake in small cakes on a hot well-greased griddle.

Luncheon

EGG SALAD:—Cut hard boiled eggs in quarters and serve on crisp lettuce with a boiled dressing. For the dressing mix in the following order: A tablespoon of sugar, a tablespoon of salad oil, a teaspoon of dry mustard, the same of cornstarch. Add salt and pepper. Stir until smooth. Add three-fourths of a cup of salad oil, one-third of a cup of tarragon vinegar, three tablespoons of common vinegar and the beaten yolks of three eggs. Boil until thick, stirring all the time.

Dinner

POTATOES STUFFED WITH CHEESE:—Bake the potatoes until soft, cut in half scoop out the inside, mash, add butter, a little milk, a cup of grated cheese, and refill the skins. Sprinkle the top with grated cheese and return to the oven to brown.

LIMA BEAN SALAD:—Chill two cups of cooked beans, add a tablespoon of prepared horseradish, and seasoning. Serve on lettuce with a French dressing.

ORANGE SHORTCAKE:—Cream a tablespoon each of lard and butter with four cups of flour, two teaspoons of baking powder and a little salt. Bake in a round tin and, when done, cut in half, spread with plenty of butter and sliced oranges and sprinkle with sugar.

THURSDAY

Breakfast—Baked Apples — Beef Hash—Graham Gems—Coffee.

Luncheon—Sardine Rabbit—Re-heated Graham Gems—Cake—Cocoa.

Dinner—Rice Soup—Roast Pork—Potato Sticks—Parsnip Cakes—Cold Slaw—Date Cake—Cheese—Coffee.

Breakfast

BEET HASH:—Boil thirty minutes all the pieces of steak left, add an equal amount of potatoes and half a cup of beets. Chop fine, and fry brown in butter.

GRAHAM GEMS:—Mix two cups of sour milk, three tablespoons of molasses, two teaspoons of soda, two-thirds of a cup of flour, and two cups of graham flour. Bake in gem pans in a quick oven.

Luncheon

SARDINE RABBIT:—Melt one cup of cheese, add a little butter, half a cup of milk, and one beaten egg. Stir into this a can of sardines freed of skin and bones. Cook one minute and serve on crisp crackers.

Dinner

RICE SOUP:—Cook a cup of rice four hours in two quarts of water. Strain and serve with a teaspoon of rice in each cup.

POTATO STICKS:—Pare raw potatoes and slice in thin strips lengthwise. Lay in cold water half an hour, drain and fry in deep boiling fat.

PARSNIP CAKES:—Cook in salted water forty-five minutes, pare and mash. Add butter, pepper and salt, and form into small flat cakes. Roll in flour and fry in butter.

DATE CAKE:—Mix one cup of sugar the same of sour milk, two cups of flour, two tablespoons of butter, and two cups of chopped and pitted dates. Bake one hour in a slow oven.

FRIDAY

Breakfast—Sliced Bananas, Lemon Juice—Boiled Eggs—Fried Wheatena—Buttered Toast—Coffee.

Luncheon — Crab Meat, Tomato—Caraway Bread—Canned Strawberries—Cake—Tea.

Dinner — Clam Bisque—Fried Cod, Tartar Sauce—Mashed Potatoes—Creamed Onions—Prune and Nut Salad—Lemon Meringue Pie.

Breakfast

FRIED WHEATENA—Boil ten minutes a cup of wheatena in six cups of boiling water. Turn into a wetted mold to harden. Cut in slices and fry brown. Serve with honey.

Luncheon

CRAB MEAT WITH TOMATO—Mix a can of crab meat with a cup of bread crumbs, a cup of tomatoes, the garted rind of a lemon, the juice of one lemon, and a glass of sherry. Turn into a dish and bake 15 minutes.

CARAWAY BREAD—Scald two cups of milk and add two tablespoons each of butter and sugar. When lukewarm add a yeast cake dissolved in a cup of warm water, two tablespoons of caraway seeds, and six cups of rye flour. Let rise to twice its bulk, shape in loaves, let rise again, and bake.

Dinner

CLAM BISQUE—Boil a quart of milk with three slices of onion one hour. Cream a tablespoon of butter, add flour, stir until smooth, add to the milk and boil. Chop a quart of clams, bring to a quick boil and add to the milk. Serve at once with a tablespoon of whipped cream on top of each cup.

CREAMED ONIONS—Cover with cold water and boil until tender. Drain and pour over a sauce made by blending a tablespoon of butter and flour added to two cups of milk. Boil until thick. Cook the onions in the milk one minute.

PRUNE AND NUT SALAD—Fill cooked prunes and fill with chopped nuts. Serve on lettuce with a French dressing.

LEMON MERINGUE PIE—Make the pie crust from a cup and a half of flour, big half cup of lard, and a small cup of ice water. Roll and bake. Fill with this mixture: One cup of sugar, a heaping dessert spoon of dry corn-starch, a cup of water, juice of two lemons, the grated rind of one and the yolks of three eggs. Boil until it thickens. Pour into the baked crust, beat the whites stiff, drop by spoonfuls, and brown in the oven.

SATURDAY

Breakfast—Oranges—Broiled Bacon—Fried Potatoes—Eggless Muffins—Coffee.

Luncheon — Corn Fritters—Cheese Toast—Sauce—Tea.

Dinner—Quick Potato Soup—Cold Roast Pork—Whipped Potato—Turnip—Maryland Salad—Cranberry Pie.

Breakfast

EGGLESS MUFFINS—Mix two cups of flour with two teaspoons of baking powder, three teaspoons of sugar, and one cup of milk. Bake in a quick oven.

Luncheon

CORN FRITTERS—Mix two cups of corn with half a cup of milk, half a cup of flour, one egg, a tablespoon of melted butter and a teaspoon and a half of baking powder. Drop in boiling fat by small spoonfuls.

CHEESE TOAST—Mix a cup of cheese with a tablespoon of butter, and a teaspoon of dry mustard. Spread on buttered toast and place in the oven until the cheese melts.

Dinner

QUICK POTATO SOUP—Cut enough raw potatoes to make a cup and a half. Boil in a quart of milk ten minutes, season and serve.

WHIPPED POTATOES—Boil and mash, add a little milk and butter and whip five minutes with an egg beater. Pile as light as possible and dot with pieces of butter.

MARYLAND SALAD — Chop four sweet red peppers, add one cream cheese and half a cup of chopped cabbage. Pour over a dressing made from four tablespoons of olive oil, two of vinegar and one of chili sauce.

CRANBERRY PIE—Boil until soft two cups of cranberries, a cup of sugar and one cup of water. Line a pie plate with a rich pie crust, add the cranberries, cut strips of crust and lay on top to form small squares. Bake in a moderate oven.

MORE TROUBLE BREWING

TEACHERS' BILLS ARE HELD UP—MEN AND WOMEN AT ODDS ON PENSION PLANS

BOSTON, April 3.—Trouble is brewing between the women teachers in the elementary grades of the Boston schools and the men and women teachers who are receiving the higher salaries.

The difficulty is over the Boston teachers' pension bills now before the legislature. So bitter is the fight becoming that the pension bills have been all held up in the senate.

Object of the Bills

The elementary teachers presented bills in the legislature this year authorizing the appropriation of 5 cents more of the tax rate for their pension fund. The men teachers and such women as are receiving the higher salaries backed a bill to increase the maximum pension from $600 to $1000 a year.

All three bills went to the senate for action first.

The men's bill was put on the table to await the passage of the women's bill.

Then Mayor Curley and the women teachers reached a compromise, and instead of the women's bill a new bill was substituted whereby an additional appropriation of 2 cents of the tax rate would be provided for pensions.

This stirred up the men teachers, who began to fear that the increase provided in the compromise bill would not be sufficient to cover the proposed increase in the pension limit.

Yesterday the women's bill came up for a third reading in the senate. The senate voted to postpone action on it until next Wednesday. This piqued the women, who blamed the postponement on the men. Some of the women's representatives think it "real mean" of the men to try and hold up their bill. The men want the women to agree to the increase in the maximum amount of pensions. The women take the ground that the pension fund cannot stand the proposed increase.

Yesterday the house killed two teachers' bills, those providing for abolition of the permanent school pension fund and the retirement fund.

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MAKING GOOD BREAD

"I wish I could make good bread," sighed Marjorie. "Father does not like bakers' bread and I seem to have no luck in my baking."

"I am right at home on that subject," responded Marie. "Madame insists on my making all her bread so I guess I must be an expert."

"Oh, tell me how, Marie," exclaimed Marjorie as she brightened up.

"Well, in the first place," began the French maid, "you must know that temperature has everything to do with successful bread making. In warm weather, or in winter, when the house is well heated, so that the average room temperature is from seventy-five to eightyfour degrees, bread may be mixed in the morning, put to rise for three hours, formed into loaves, allowed to rise for another hour, and finished early in the afternoon.

"In the spring and fall, when the furnace is out and the atmospheric heat is less than seventy-five degrees, the rising may take so long that it is best to make the sponge, or mixture containing the yeast, over night. On the other hand, bread dough which is rising should never be put too near a fire or otherwise be overheated; the bowl in which it is placed should never feel too warm to the hand.

"When bread is made with a patent mixer, all that is necessary is to follow the exact directions given by the manufacturer. A mixer saves time on the kneading, and may be utilized for more than one kind of bread. Many people however, cling to hand-kneeding methods, and the directions in this article apply to those.

"Select any good high-grade patent flour and always use that kind. You will soon get used to it and know what to expect, how much liquid it takes, how long before it responds to the yeast, and how it ought to look. Use only enough flour in kneading to take the stickiness from the dough; when that has been accomplished do not add more flour at any time. The liquid should be lukewarm when the yeast goes in.

"Punching down or cutting through with a knife, after three hours' rising, is usually but not always done; this affords a chance for a second rising before the bread dough is formed into loaves. A soft dough makes a tender bread, which will keep moist longer than a stiff, floury mixture. The baking should be done in a moderate oven which is carefully watched and slacked off toward the end of the baking.

"The dough should rise during the first fifteen minutes, then begin and continue to brown for the next half-hour. If a gas oven is used, the bread may remain in it for the final quarter of an hour with both burners turned off. Biscuits and all baking-powder breads require much more heat, as quick baking is necessary for success with them."

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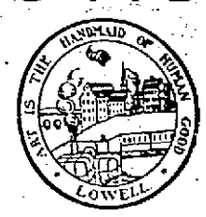

NOTICE TO ABUTTERS

Office of Commissioner of Streets and Highways, Lowell, Mass., March 27, 1915.

The city is about to macadamize the following streets:

Gorham street from Lowell & Andover railroad crossing to Cosgrove street.

Chelmsford street from Victoria street to city line.

Powell street from Liberty street to Chelmsford street.

High street from East Merrimack street to Rogers street.

Rogers street from High street to Boylston street.

The city is about to pave the following streets:

Dutton street from Broadway to Fletcher street.

Dutton street from Dutton avenue to Willie street.

Elm street from Gorham street to Central street.

Hale street from Howard street to Lincoln Square.

Fletcher street from Pawtucket canal to Worthen street.

Thorndike street from Pawtucket canal to Middlesex street.

Pawtucket street from Merrimack street to Moody street.

First street from Bridge street to Read street.

East Merrimack street from High street to Nesmith street.

Branch street from Nichols street to Smith street.

In consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate the digging up of any of the streets mentioned above, for the purposes of making sewer, gas or water connections or for any other purpose whatsoever, do so at once, as under the provisions of the city ordinances, no permit will be given to disturb the surface of said streets, for a period of five years, after said improvements are completed, except as otherwise provided in the city ordinances.

Respectfully yours,
CHARLES J. MORSE,
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THE FRUITS OF NEGLECT

Once again Lowell has been reaping unwelcome notoriety throughout Massachusetts on account of our unpardonable neglect of the demands of the state with regard to the erection of a contagious hospital. We have been long regarded in state and civic circles of health workers as criminally negligent, and local movements that are striving to bring about better conditions have been met with the accusation that Lowell is regarded all over Massachusetts as "the blot on the map." It now looks as though we will be forced to build a contagious hospital whether we wish it or not, and things are coming to a state which must be very distasteful to certain local officials on whom the responsibility for present conditions falls.

Last Thursday the annual meeting and conference of the Massachusetts Anti-Tuberculosis League was held in Boston, attended by medical and social service experts. The exercises, which were very fully reported in the Boston papers, included addresses by Dr. Allen J. McLaughlin, the famous state commissioner of health; Dr. Bowditch of Boston, president of the association; Dr. John B. Hawes, and other noted physicians and health experts. Practically every speech had some reference to Lowell, directly or indirectly. If there were any persons present unfamiliar with this city, they were justified in thinking that Lowell is a nursery of contagious disease and that our officials are absolutely indifferent to the health conditions of the city.

Dr. McLaughlin spoke more particularly on the discovery and treatment of tuberculosis in its incipient stages—an impossibility in Lowell under present conditions, but a more direct accusation was contained in parts of the address made by Dr. Hawes who referred to local conditions in most unflattering terms. According to Dr. Hawes, the balance of the cities of Massachusetts without tuberculosis hospitals have a population of 553,000, "and Lowell with a total of 106,000, heads this list."

It was in no mere spirit of empty criticism that these accusations were made against Lowell but with the consciousness that the state is about to force us to do what we have flagrantly neglected to do. The state health authorities have just sent a pointed warning to the mayor of Lowell telling him in no uncertain terms that Sept. 1 will be the limit of time allowed this city in which to comply with the state laws. As the statute which calls for the erection of a contagious hospital provides for a heavy penalty, we can no longer doubt that Lowell must either have started a contagious hospital by Sept. 1 or must be prepared to take the consequences. We have set ourselves in open defiance of the laws of the state, and the state will win. Do our commissioners doubt it?

This is an excellent time for some Lowell officials to ask themselves what they have gained by their neglect of this question. The selection of a hospital site is a rather unpopular proceeding, but it must be faced, and that soon. When the action of the previous municipal council was nullified, our officials crowed at their temporary triumph or what they considered such. They failed to see that sooner or later the matter would have to be again faced, and that they would have to meet the unpleasantness all over again. Now, they must see that their opposition to the state law was a losing game and even a political mistake. It is with very bad grace they will now be compelled to undo what they have done and select a contagious hospital site at the dictation of determined state authorities.

The ignoring of state demands has been a poor advertisement for Lowell, but there is no use crying over spilt milk. We must bear as patiently as we may the charge that we have blocked progress, that we have criminally neglected to care for many of our diseased citizens properly, that we have made a ludicrous stand against superior authority, that we have been "the blot on the map." We cannot even complain when we are quoted as an illustration of absolute neglect at meetings such as that of Boston last Thursday, but in justice to our municipal reputation we must remember that it is not the Lowell people who are to blame, but a few Lowell officials.

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When you go to the store in a few days for some clothing, for shoes, for a set of parlor furniture, for some kitchen utensils, for anything whatsoever, ask for a New England product. There is scarcely an article made in the world of industry which is not made in New England. Our great textile industries are famous the world over; our shoe shops supply the markets of all nations; our machine shops furnish machinery for the greatest engineering feats of modern times. Yet, we have thousands of little factories and shops that give employment to tens of thousands of your sons and daughters. These mills and factories great and small depend on public patronage for their support. You, undoubtedly, earnestly hope that this patronage will grow all over the earth until all our mill wheels and belts revolve merrily, full time and overtime. You can do more than that. You can help prosperity along by purchasing New England products whenever possible.

When you spend a dollar for a New England product, you keep a dollar at home. When you spend twenty dollars for New England products, you multiply the good twenty times. Money thus kept at home is put in circulation at home. It comes back to you in wages, in the returns from your own business, in the returns you receive from the expenditure of public moneys. Be a booster of New England products by all means, but first of all, be a buyer. Help New England and New England will help you.

MORE CONFIDENCE SHOWN

The best and most significant news item published for many weeks is that the New York stock exchange has at last decided to operate without any restrictions. Following the outbreak of the war, it was compelled to close to avert possible panic and after a long period of inactivity opened with certain necessary restrictions. Now it is operating as before the war. This points to fundamental soundness in this country, for unless there was a decided spirit of optimism based on fact, the New York stock exchange would not commence unrestricted operations. Evidently the fear that Europe will dump American securities on our markets has passed.

It has also been stated in financial journals that several large foreign credits have been established in New York to facilitate the trading of foreign countries with our farmers and manufacturers. J. P. Morgan went to London on a business mission a few days ago, and within a short time it is certain that vast stores of European gold will be flowing into the coffers of this country. This does not mean only the money paid for war munitions, but for every commodity that America has for sale: the crippling of foreign sources of supply must of a necessity open many new markets to us abroad.

The steel trade is still reporting progress, and so is the copper industry. We have proof that the textile industry is booming. Our wheat and cotton situations have been satisfactorily met, and time is improving every branch of trade that felt complete or partial stagnation after the outbreak of war. The crippling of imports has destroyed the tariff arguments of opponents of the administration, and the country is manifesting a general spirit to look with confidence to the future. There is still considerable unemployment and suffering, but the country seems to be expecting a speedy restoration of normal conditions.

HAPPY EASTER TIME

Dawn comes after the darkness, peace follows the storm. Easter comes [illegible] the passiontide. Long ago did it happen, but every year we see its [illegible] once again. The heart throws away the cere-cloths of doubt and faces the brightness of spiritual revival. Who is there that has not sometime or other been thrilled by the beautiful story of the holy women who stole in the early morn to the tomb in which they had laid their Lord and found not death but immortality? Who is there that has not seen it all in spirit—the gaping grave, the lily paths where He talked with Magdalen and the heavenly messenger who said: "He is not here: He hath risen as He said?"

Long ago did it happen indeed, but for those of lively faith it will happen again tomorrow. We may not see the yawning grave or the brightness of the Glorified God, but in everything we will see the birth of new life that speaks of Him. In tree and twig and flower is a response to the call of life. Little blades of grass pierce the enlivened earth like soldier spears; rivulets melt their icy barriers and ring woodland chimes; all nature has heard the resurrection story and is glad. Gone are the purples of the passion, the shadows of penitential Lent, the chilling bonds of winter. It is a time of swelling song, of triumphant alleluiahs of bells and of lilies. It is the time of Easter, triumphant over pain and death, the dawn of glorious immortality.

Many have been the Easters since that wondrous one of Galilee, but never did the world need its message more than now. Pain and sorrow have written their message on myriads of hearts, and dismal is the hoary earth with the horrors of fratricidal strife. Darkness greater than that of the grave hangs like a funereal pall on the nations, and the songs of the angels of the resurrection are drowned out by the thundering of cannon. Yet, Christ is risen and hope is not dead. After the time of passion will dawn again a world Easter morn and the spirit of Christ will shine resplendent on a sadder but wiser world.

The death of Baron Rothschild removed a famous member of a famous family, members of which have had a greater part in shaping the destinies of nations than kings and princes. The rise of the Rothschilds reads like a fairy tale, and their power—once at least—was felt in every corner of the earth. It has even been said that they could make or prevent wars at will, but recent events leave this in doubt.

Commissioner Ward of the insanity board adds his testimony to that of many others who declare that there is an alarming amount of feeble-mindedness in Massachusetts, though this will not justify undue suspicion of one's neighbor. His address in this city was another argument in favor of prevention rather than cure.

The women who indignantly left the senate galleries because certain bills in which they were interested were held over have yet to learn that the word of a politician is one of the most elastic things known to science. Would votes for women improve matters?

Do not delay too long in calling for a dictionary. Three Sun coupons and 98c will get you one now, and you will never have a better opportunity.

The city that has not had money enough to do many necessary things cannot well approve of a military celebration costing $3,000. It is not the time nor the place for such an event, and its postponement would be wise.

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JUDGE STEVENS TO PRESIDE

Word was received here today that Judge Stevens will preside at the April sitting of the civil session of superior court which opens at the court house on Gorham street Monday morning at 10 o'clock. After the opening of court the clerk will read over the list so that the cases may be assigned for trial. Counsel should be prepared at that time to inform the court as to the likelihood of actual trial during this session and when their cases will be ready to open.

HELD UNION SERVICE

A union Good Friday service was held last evening in the Kirk Street Congregational church. Rev. C. A. Lincoln had charge and the church choir gave several selections appropriate to the day. The Beatitudes, and the last words of Christ upon the cross, taken in connection one with the other, furnished the themes for the speakers, who were Rev. A. C. Ferrin, Rev. E. H. Newcomb, Rev. F. G. Alger, Rev. Raymond G. Clapp and Rev. H. A. Barker. The attendance was large.

WASHINGTON AND CALIFORNIA

Henry H. Harris, master of the Varnum school, has booked 35 people for his Washington tour, which goes Friday night, April 23. Accommodations for a limited number still remain, but it will be wise for any others thinking of going to make early application, as hotel and steamboat facilities are always overtaxed the last week in April. Circulars of this tour and of the summer tour to the Panama-Pacific exposition, which leaves June 29, will be sent on application to 33 Eleventh street.

CENSUS ENUMERATORS

The 58 census enumerators, who were recently appointed after taking an examination, will begin work in this city Monday morning and these men will be in charge of Alexis Fecteau, the local inspector for this work.

Some of the men will cover their territory in two weeks, while others will be busy for three or four weeks.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SAMOSET CABARET SHOW

George "Babe" Rogers, William O'Donnell, Walter Clough, George Kerwin, Sam Cassin, Law Rogers, Warren Rogers, Jerry Longley, John Riley, Charles Sadlier and other well known cabaret performers will appear as soloists in the annual musical treat to be conducted by the Samoset club at Lincoln hall on Monday evening. Dancing will be indulged in from 8 to 12 and Miner's orchestra will furnish the music. Other innovations will be on the boards and a highly enjoyable evening is promised all who attend.

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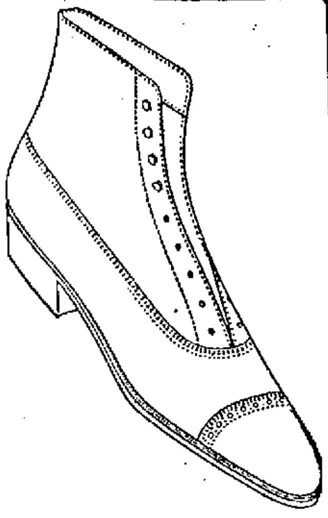

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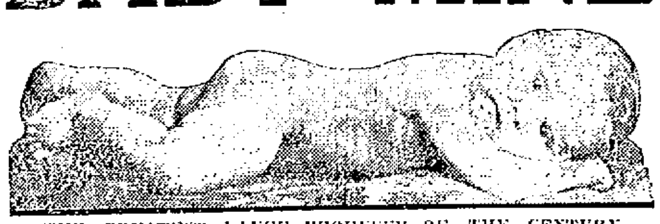

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DOPE ON COMING FIGHT

How the Two Men Size Up—Local Man Picks Willard as the Probable Winner

IN WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP BATTLE

JESS WILLARD	JACK JOHNSON
Height—6 feet 6 inches.	Height—6 feet ½ inch.
Reach—83½ inches.	Reach—75½ inches.
Neck—17¼ inches.	Neck—17 inches.
Wrist—8¼ inches.	Wrist—8¼ inches.
Forearm—14 inches.	Forearm—13⅞ inches.
Biceps (relaxed)—14½ inches.	Biceps (relaxed)—14¼ inches.
Biceps (tense)—16 inches.	Biceps (tense)—15½ inches.
Chest—44 inches.	Chest 42 inches.
Chest (expanded)—46½ inches.	Chest (expanded)—44½ inches.
Waist—36½ inches.	Waist—38 inches.
Thigh—25 inches.	Thigh—26½ inches.
Calf—16¾ inches.	Calf—16 inches.
Ankle—9½ inches.	Ankle—11 inches.
Born December 29, 1887, in Pottawatomie county, Kansas.	Born March 31, 1878, Galveston, Texas.
First bout, Feb. 15, 1911. Lost on foul to Louis Fink.	First bout May 6, 1899. Lost to Klondike in Chicago in five rounds.

In Havana today the odds have shifted to between 2-1 and 5-3 on the battle next Monday which will go down in the world's ring history as a contest between two of the greatest giants which the glove game ever produced with Johnson on the long end naturally. The only unnatural thing about it is that Johnson isn't a bigger favorite down in Cuba. In New York, although the Willard men have grown a trifle bolder, the odds still hover between 3-1 and 9-4.

Thus far there has been but little money wagered on the coming championship battle. The reason for this can be ascribed to several reasons. The present shortage of cash is one very sufficient reason why the betting is low. Then the fact that the battle is to be staged on foreign soil is another supposition. But the real reason why more money is not put up on the outcome of the contest is probably the public's almost total ignorance of what either man can do when they step into the ring Monday.

Moran Fight No Criterion

Johnson was 37 years old the 31st of last month. That's a pretty old man to be pitted against a man nine years his junior. Johnson's last fight was with Frank Moran which went twenty rounds to a decision for the champion.

The critics who watched Johnson in the Moran battle have never been able to satisfy themselves on one point—whether or not the Galveston black really extended himself in that affair. Moran couldn't hit the champion, he was too clever for him, but at the same time Johnson failed to show that he could go up against a hard hitter and last out 45 rounds of milling. So that the Moran fight can hardly be a criterion of Johnson's fighting ability.

Will Be a Fight

There seems to be but little doubt in the minds of any of those who are versed in glove lore but what Monday's affair will be a fight. Forty-five three minute rounds is a long time to face an opponent who is looking for your scalp. Two hours and fifteen minutes cannot be boxed through or at least it never has yet and it does not seem possible that a man 37 years of age will show a precedent.

Willard claims that all he wants of Johnson is a fight. Johnson didn't fight Moran, he boxed him. It is plainly evident to everyone that Johnson can outbox Willard. But if Willard is the game chap that they say he is; if he possesses stamina that critics give him credit for having and can hit with his right hand harder than any man in the world there's only one answer—he's bound to hit Johnson before those 45 rounds have passed into history. And Johnson will be forced to show, before that bout is over, that he can outhit his white opponent in order to win.

Local Man's Dope

Several local sportsmen were discussing the coming Johnson-Willard battle the other day when Jim Lavery strolled along. Jim spent several weeks with Willard and his manager, Tom Jones, in Chicago two years ago and his dope upon the championship fight was listened to with interest.

"Jess told me," Mr. Lavery said, "that he never hit a man in his life as hard as he could and that nobody had ever hit him hard enough to hurt—that is to hurt for more than the round. It is my opinion that Willard was absolutely conscientious in in what he said. He is just a big good natured boy who has never taken his ring career seriously, accepting the earnings from the bouts which Jones arranged for him and letting it go at that. In my estimation," concluded Jim, "I think that Willard has a very good chance of whipping the champion."

Willard has improved, of course, since his last fight, probably improved with leaps and bounds. Under the careful tutelage which he has received from his various sparring partners all of whom have seen Johnson in action many times and several of whom have sparred with Willard, the latter must be a greatly improved glove artist.

Johnson is the better boxer. Willard is heavier, taller and is younger. Johnson has experience which the white man lacks. From where we sit it looks as though the outcome of Monday's world's championship rumpus will depend upon the hitting ability of the men.

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RAN OUT OF BOUT

Champion Refused to Meet Langford Down in Lawrence

Jack Johnson, who will uphold the title of heavyweight champion of the world in his encounter Monday with Jess Willard at Havana, Cuba ran out of an offer to fight Sam Langford at the old West End club in this city in 1906.

Arthur J. Cross was the matchmaker of the club at the time and on Nov. 29 Thanksgiving day of that year, he went to Haverhill along with a party of friends to witness the Sam Langford and George Gunther battle. Langford and Gunther had been having some terrific fights and so they agreed to stage a bout in Haverhill. Jack Johnson went along to Haverhill with Gunther and he was in his corner. That riled Langford. Langford and Johnson had already met on April 26 in the same year in Chelsea and Johnson won the decision in 15 rounds. There was bad blood between the two since, but, when Langford saw Johnson back of Gunther he was mad clean through.

Langford won the fight in five rounds. On the way to Chelsea to witness the Honey Mellody and Joe Walcott bout for the welterweight championship, which Mellody won in 12 rounds, Nick Cross tried to get Langford and Johnson to agree to meet at the local club. Langford was willing but Johnson backed out of the match. He wanted to meet some other fellow from Philadelphia and $500 would pay both men. The club matchmaker couldn't see such a match and especially in view of the interest in a Langford and Johnson bout on account of the rivalry after the Chelsea affair. The negotiations fell through and Johnson did not fight here. At that time Langford was fighting around 142 and Johnson 180.—Lawrence Eagle-Tribune.

OUTLOOK BRIGHT

League Situation Has Shifted—Successful Season Probable

On April 15th the players will begin to report here for their early training and four days later the local club will play two games in Lynn. Although the candidates for retention will work out at Spalding park daily until the season opens no pre-season games have been arranged for this city as the grandstand will not be completed before the formal league opening here.

Baseball Outlook Here O. K.

Baseball in Lowell looks to be O. K. this season. The team which represents this city this year will be backed by local fandom. The talk that Lowell would not be represented in the New England league this season has set many a fan to thinking of a summer's hardships without a professional ball game and it is safe to assert that Spalding park will be a rendezvous for more people this season than in 1914.

Gloom Replaced by Sunshine

The gloom which overspread this circuit a few weeks ago has been superseded by a feeling of optimism by fans and magnates alike. The unfortunate fate of the Eastern Association which appeared to be as strong if not more firmly founded than the New England league has demonstrated that the fans in this section of New England are far more loyal to their ball clubs than those along O'Rourke's circuit.

What the fans who follow the fortunes of any league want to see are contests—good ball games with the decision reserved until the last inning. As a rule the clubs in the New England league have been pretty well bunched. Of course there has usually been one or two aggregations which did not have a chance for the pennant but these clubs always gave the leaders a tussle. It is still well remembered the fall which Fall River took out of the championship Lowell club in 1913 when the contenders were being beaten with ease. It was Fall River which broke Lowell's long streak of victories that year and Fall River never had a chance for the pennant. This is what makes a successful league, good hard baseball with the winner always in doubt, and the 1915 season promises to furnish exactly this sort of baseball in the New England league.

Word From McCleskey

Jeff McCleskey, Lowell's second baseman and one of the most promising infielders that has been seen in the league for years, surprised us with a letter from Helena, Ga., the other day.

McCleskey has been working out for more than a month with the various major league clubs in his vicinity and states that he is in the pink of condition. He expects to start for this section on April 11th and will be on hand for business on the 15th.

IS BETTER THAN EVER

RABBIT MARANVILLE IS ALREADY SHOWING WONDERFUL FORM IN THE SOUTH

Rabbit Maranville, the Boston Braves' sensational shortstop, is ready to duplicate his wonderful performances of last season. The midget has been pulling off brilliant plays in the practice games down south and reports say that he will be even faster than ever this season.

Maranville is one of the few ball players who have been a credit to the New England league. He broke in under Tom Dowd in New Bedford and went direct from the Whaling crew to the Braves where he immediately made good. Other great stars were bench warmers for some period when they first joined the big fellows, but Maranville jumped right in at the start and has remained ever since.

FOUR OF CLUBS

The Four of Clubs, consisting of the Warren, Falcon, Temple and Patsee clubs, will hold a special meeting in the quarters of the Warren club next Wednesday evening to consider the advisability of holding a banquet on April 19. The officers of the Four of Clubs are as follows: James McEvoy, Falcon club, president; Thomas Higgins, Patsee club, secretary; and Patrick Flaherty, Falcon club, treasurer.

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ATHLETES AND ATHLETICS

Johnson says that he can fight three hours at a stretch right now. His friends have advised him for weeks to do more strenuous stunts in his training but the Galveston black has steadily refused, saying that he knew his own condition best. If the battle goes against him Monday he will have none to blame but himself for critics agree that the champion is far below the physical perfection he showed when he entered the ring at Reno.

Sturtevant will once more perform on the mound for the Textile ball club this season. The local twirler had a very successful season last year, and Coach Johnson of the Moody street institution allows that he is even better this season.

Jack Kiernan has procured two new players for the Manchester club. Pitcher Horsey of the Trenton, Tri-State league team and Catcher Phillips of the Springfield club. Both players have performed with credit in their respective circuits, and Kiernan expects them to bolster up his club. Wonder if Horsey ever gets balky!

The heavy rain which fell in Havana yesterday did not stop either Johnson or Willard from carrying out their daily training program. In a heavy downpour both boxers pounded their sparring partners about in their training quarters. If it should rain Monday the men will meet under a canopy.

Manager Stalling is credited with saying that it does no harm for a bashful batter to get a fast one in the ribs. In the opinion of the Braves' manager, a batter who steps away from the plate will be cured of the habit after being hit once or twice. If the Braves have many recruits who need this sort of practice it wouldn't be a bad idea for Stallings to sign up Pete Wood.

The Giants have evidently gotten over the slump which characterized their early pre-season games. Opposing pitchers suffer badly these days. Yesterday they defeated the Houston, Tex., team by a 15-1 score, getting 16 hits for 30 bases. Johnny McGraw must be using his tongue to excellent advantage.

Alec Pearson arrived in Lawrence yesterday, eager to take up his duties for the 1915 season. Alec is enthusiastic over the prospects of the down-river club. He is the only one who is, however, but that goes with the job.

Shano and Eddie, the Collinses with the White Sox, are banging the ball to all corners of the lot in the pre-season games. In fact, they are the only players who have done much with the stick so far. Eddie is more than satisfied with his job, and prophesies great things for his club.

All that Freddie Welsh wants for a bout with Johnny Dundee in New Haven is $15,000. The big bout at Havana and the money involved must have affected the lightweight champion's mind. Fifteen thousand dollars for anybody in New England is asking just a little too much—just a little.

Those German submarines have Porky Flynn buffaloed. Porky has a chance to cross the pond and fight for Merry Old England with a very good opportunity of bringing off the championship, but he's afraid of those submarines. After the career which Porky has led in the ring we are surprised to learn that anything like a submarine would affect his actions.

The football T's were awarded at Textile school yesterday. Besides Captain Oliver Lane McGowan, Manager Holt, Dover, McDonald, Powers, Goodell, Andrews, Peabody, Fuller, Mitchell, Morrill, Sullivan, Sawyer, O'Connell and O'Brien received their school insignia. An election for next year's captaincy will be held within a few days.

WITH THE PADDED MITTS

It is welcome news to Lowell fans to hear that the Atlas A. A. of Boston will re-open a week from Tuesday, with a pair of dusky gladiators, Sam Langford and Sam McVey. These warriors will battle over the 12-round route with a referee's verdict to be awarded at the finish. The two Sams are not strangers by any means, having met on four occasions. Three of these affairs were staged at Sidney, Australia, and the fourth at Perth, Australia. The bouts resulted in three wins for Langford and one for McVey.

We see that local promoters have taken charge of the boxing club of Manchester and in the future all outside promoters are to be barred. Sam Harris who ran the club a few months ago will be back at the helm and his presence put the game there on a strong footing. Harris is only a young man, but he has had many experiences with boxers and at present is managing a couple of Manchester ringsters. Mr. Harris is of the opinion that local boxers draw best and states that he will not go to Boston for boys to appear at his show, but draw from the smaller towns and thus give ambitious youngsters a chance to become famous.

Battling McFarland, who recently stopped Young Stone of this city in Lawrence, has received an offer to go to Nova Scotia to box Roddy McDonald, a product of that district. McDonald is well remembered by Lowell fans for his wonderful exhibition of gameness the night he fought Johnny Boyle. The Battling person had better consider the long hike back from Canada, for from accounts Roddy has improved by leaps and bounds since that bout with Boyle and only a few months ago he fought Mike Sullivan a draw and also has a knockout over Johnny Glover.

Walter Mohr, who recently beat Gilbert Gallant, will have a chance to pay back Leach Cross for the licking Leaches handed him a few months ago in a New York ring. Cross and Mohr are to settle the question of supremacy on April 15 at Waterbury, Conn., in a 12-round bout. Cross ought to be there when the referee gives the decision, as he punches too hard for Mohr.

Tonight, Young Jasper will enter the ring against Kid Graves in Brooklyn and we hate to mention what this same Kid Graves will do to this same Jasper. Jasper is not the same boy he was a few years ago and today looks to be slipping fast. A top notch boxer like Graves can take all sorts of liberties with him and still have a nice total of points at the end of the bout.

After his battle with Sailor Fritts tonight Battling Levinsky will have passed his 200th contest within the ropad arena. Bat also claims the greatest number of engagements in one year and he hopes to equal any standing record as to the number of bouts fought.

Jim Crilley doesn't seem to be able to secure a suitable opponent for Al Shubert for his show, next Thursday. Jim has tried to get Battling Reddy, but Reddy's demands are unreasonable Johnny Daly was mentioned, but he did not want the job. K. O. Eggers was willing to fight Shubert, but he wanted to box at catch weights. Shubert won't fight anybody over 120 pounds. Louisiana Lavigne is the last hope and if Crilley can not get him he will match Shubert against Young Marino, who has fought Champion Williams a couple of times.

A report is being circulated that Matty Baldwin is thinking of retiring from the ring for good. It is understood that his ribs, the ones injured by Johnny Harvey, have not responded to treatment and that Matty could not expect to battle any more.

Eddie Moore is looking around trying to have his star protege, Fred Yelle, meet some of these near-champions at the Atlas A. A. which opens up in a few weeks. Moore says Yelle would like to mingle with Charley White of Chicago or Gilbert Gallant of Chelsea or in fact any boxer who will make 135 pounds.

Let us hope Jim Crilley takes our tip and uses Gardner Brooks at his Lawrence club in the near future. If Brooks were to appear at the down-river club a large delegation from this city would be sure to turn out. Crilley can name any boxer in New York or New England weighing 116 pounds and Brooks will gladly leave New York and come on here and fight. The local sports are predicting great things for Gardner and would like to see him perform in this section of the country.

Gilbert Gallant seems to have shot his bolt and no longer looks as formidable as he did before he clashed with Sam Robideau, the lad who made him listen to the count of ten. Gallant after the Robideau fight, gave out that he was going to rest up for a month and then come out and show the critics they were wrong, but on his first attempt Phil Bloom made him look foolish over in Brooklyn and only last week Walter Mohr tacked a defeat on him at Bridgeport, Conn.

All arrangements were completed yesterday noontime for Monday's championship bout. Jack Welsh will referee the fight, barring accidents, but in case Jack is unlucky enough to be unable to climb through the ropes, Mat Hinkel of Cleveland was decided upon as alternate referee. Hinkel is well known as a decision-maker and was agreeable to Tom Jones, Willard's manager, and Tom Flanagan, acting for Johnson. With this decision all the details were complete as timekeepers, etc., had previously been agreed upon.

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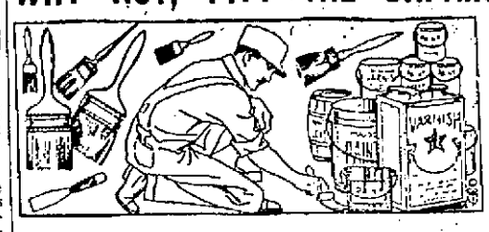

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

An Easter Sunday program of unusual merit is offered Opera House patrons tomorrow afternoon and evening. Mr. Francois Chantereau, the Parisian tenor, will contribute numbers to the music feature, and the recital by Dr. Edward Delevanti, together with the Opera House orchestral music will round out the entertainment in melody. The feature picture will be Marilyn Arbuckle in "The County Chairman," a Famous Players film of five reels. Performances will begin at 3 and 8 o'clock.

On Monday afternoon, Rita Jolivet comes to the Opera House in the absorbing romance, "The Unafraid." This production is notable.

Jesse L. Lasky's picturization of "The Unafraid" is especially notable not only because of the exceptional dramatic interest of the plot but also because the cast contains three exceptionally distinguished artists: Miss Rita Jolivet, the internationally celebrated star who makes her initial photo-dramatic appearance in this production, Mr. House Peters and Mr. Theodore Roberts. Miss Jolivet and Mr. Peters share between them the romantic honors of the story, and Mr. Roberts appears as the evil genius who formulates many developments of the story.

There is an old saying that only a very good man in real life can represent the very worst villains on the stage. By this manner of measurement, Mr. Roberts must positively be the personification of all the manly virtues, for he is unquestionably the most deliciously nefarious plotter on the legitimate stage or the screen. In this instance he is the secret agent of the dual empire and treachery is his particular occupation.

The major portion of the action takes place in the mountains of Montenegro, that brave little nation which the dual empire, unable to conquer by arms, is trying to take possession of through intrigue. The dissolute young Count Michael Balsic is the traitor whom the agent of the dual empire bribes to instigate revolution in Montenegro. Michael wastes all the money he has been provided with for this purpose and then seeks to save himself by marrying an American heiress.

Closing performances by Fritzi Scheff in "Pretty Mrs. Smith," will be given this afternoon and evening.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Returning to vaudeville for the balance of the season the B. F. Keith theatre will open next week with the presentation of a bill which will measure up to the high standard previously set by this theatre, and of which the "Six Water Lilies" will be the especially underlined feature. This is a swimming and diving act, in which appear six young women, four of whom are known throughout the country for the records they have made in their special lines of work. The act is a thriller in every sense. For seven full weeks at the New York theatre this act held audiences, this season. The work of the young women is finished and most entertaining. There are no unnecessary flourishes and the young women do most difficult diving feats without a slip. Possibly the leader of the half dozen is Nora Lealy, a New York girl, who is not only a wonderful diver, but also a record holding swimmer. Two record swims were made by her in 1914, the first when she swam Hell's Gate, in New York, on July 3, and the second when she swam from Hastings, N. Y., to the foot of West Twelfth street, a distance of 21 miles, in seven hours and 12 minutes. Ruth Wood, of Roxbury, Mass., and Florence Scheublein, of New York, are among the record holding high divers, and Ruth Vialor, of Hartford, Conn., is also a diver of note. The other two all-round swimmers and divers are Esther Lowe and Nina Beck.

James Kyle MacCurdy & Co., in "Put on Your Old Gray Bonnett," a concoction of his own making, and one in which he has been wonderfully successful. Mr. MacCurdy will be recalled as the actor who made such a success of his own play, "The Old Clothes Man," in which his characterization of the elderly Hebrew challenged David Warfield's "Auctioneer." One of the special features of his new act is a scene on election night in New York City, when the lights on the dome of the World building flash the results of the election by a series of different colored lights. The New York press, in commenting upon this scene, voted it one of the most thrilling, and at the same time, unique situations in modern drama. "Put On Your Old Gray Bonnet" shows how a dashing young woman singles out a politician, about to win a congressional seat, and makes him believe she can guide him to the governor's chair through her social ability, and it also tells of her turning against him when defeat apparently stares him in the face.

Ray Dooley, who once appeared here with the Metropolitan Minstrels, and who scored a sizeable hit with that production, now has her own little act, known as the Ray Dooley trio. Assisting her are Elmer Graham and Gordon Dooley, and this is a guarantee that dainty Ray is to put forth in an entertainment which has the real hum to it. She is a sprightly miss, who dances because she loves it, and her sense of fun is very well developed indeed. Her co-partners in the production are also dancers, singers and funmakers.

Ethel May Barker, the juvenile violin virtuoso, is also classed among the features of the bill. Miss Barker, still in her teens, first came into fame as a member of the Kansas City Juvenile orchestra, in which she played a first violin, and then rose to the position of director. After that she branched out into vaudeville, and has made a strong impression everywhere she has appeared.

Herbert Spencer and Fleta Brown sing and play. Miss Brown is known as "the girl with the bird voice," and Mr. Spencer is called the "philosopher of the ivories." Their act has been made for purposes of entertainment, and they succeed admirably with it. Billy Davis is a monologist of note and Valentine & Bell give a mixture known as "The Furniture Removers." In addition there will be the Hearst-Selig News Pictorial. Good seats in advance may be obtained. 'Phone 28.

Tomorrow afternoon and evening the South End club will present its singing skit. The club has an organization of over 30 voices, and for a half hour they will hold the centre of all attention. In addition there will be four acts and several good pictures.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

If Alfred Hardy hadn't been so finicky, and Zoie, his wife, hadn't been so foolish and a liar in the bargain, there never would have been any trouble. The scene of this farce is in Chicago. Zoie permits Jimmy Jinks to take her to a luncheon. Her husband learns of the luncheon. Zoie lies. An explosion occurs and the young husband packs his suitcase and leaves home. Zoie is distracted, for she really loves him devotedly. Here Jimmy Jinks and his wife Aggie step into the breach. They assure Zoie that a man may leave his wife but never his children. Zoie has no child, but that does not disturb Jimmy or Aggie. Well, Zoie telegraphs her wandering husband to come home and see his son and heir. Then naturally it is up to Jimmy to provide the heir. This he sets valiantly about doing. He goes up and down the streets looking for a baby. One is promised but it does not materialize; another mother fails at the last moment. Aggie works valiantly as well to bring things to a becoming climax, and it is just when they have about given up hope of completely deceiving the home hurrying husband that Jimmy arranges to provide—not, not a single son and heir, but triplets. Suffice it to say that all comes out right in the end and the young couple are reunited.

All of which happens in the funniest farce ever written, "Baby Mine," the offering in which Manager Woods will present the stock company in the coming week. "Baby Mine" is one of the latest stock releases from New York and has been selected by the management as a special Easter offering.

The role of the husband, Alfred Hardy, has been allotted to Sam A. Meharry. And anyone who has seen Mr. Meharry in comedy knows full well that it is in this class of amusement that this clever leading man excels. Jimmy Jinks, the friend who through offering his assistance to the separated couple gets into all kinds of trouble, will be played by Stewart E. Wilson. This role was originally created by Otis Harlan, a well known Lowell favorite, and in it Mr. Wilson will be given an opportunity for some fine work. The difficult but happy role of Zoie, Margaret Mayo's original role, has been allotted to Miss Laura Hudson. This is the first opportunity patrons have had of witnessing Miss Hudson in comedy and her work the coming week will no doubt be watched by all. Miss Sadie Galloupe as "Aggie" will again be given one of the principal roles, while others who will appear in small but important parts are Marion Chester, Dorothy Ardle, Joseph Thayer and Frank McDonald. Director Dimock has also arranged some very elaborate stage settings.

The sale of seats is now on at the box office and is large. In fact, so large that it has led the management to wire New York for the biggest dramatic stock release obtainable to follow this screamingly funny comedy. Announcement as to the title will be made in due time. Get the habit from now on. Don't miss a week. You'll not be disappointed. There are some big ones coming.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Lowell people who enjoy a strong human drama of life in the great open should see Jack London's "Burning Daylight," the last presentation of which will take place at the Academy of Music today. The story is woven about the lives of "Burning Daylight," a half breed, and other men of the great frozen north at the time of the famous gold fever which attracted so many to the Klondike. It is one of Jack London's very best works, which in itself is sufficient praise. The photoplay is most realistic, thrilling and dramatic. The settings are difficult and beautifully accomplished. Hobart Bosworth, renowned in film, is seen in the part of "Burning Daylight." The picture is bound to delight everyone.

In accordance with the act of the management, the seats in the first seven rows will be reserved for each evening performance and for Saturday and Sunday matinees at 15 cents each. This was requested by many patrons who desired to be sure of good seats in the event of their late arrival. Sunday, Mary Pickford will appear in "Caprice," one of the best pictures ever made with the fascinating little actress in the leading role.

THE OWL THEATRE

The final episode of "The Exploits of Elaine," showing the death of the "Clutching Hand," is the special feature at the Owl theatre today. "In Spite of All," a three-part feature, and many other new to Lowell pictures complete a fine program. Coming Monday, Lowell's favorite actor, William Farnum, in "A Gilded Fool," the strongest drama of the season.

WOLF'S THEATRE

"The Passion Play," will be the headline picture for Sunday. There will be six other excellent pictures especially "A Girl and Two Boys." On Monday will be shown the greatest actress of all times, Sarah Bernhardt, in her most successful play "La Tosca." The balance consists of the usual good Mutual and Keystone pictures. The show tomorrow will run continuous.

NOTRE DAME ALUMNAE

The Notre Dame Academy alumnae association has taken over Keith's theatre for the night of Tuesday, April 13. A very fine program has been arranged. In addition to the regular performance the following well known artists will appear: Miss Virginia Fillon, one of the gold medal pupils of Notre Dame; Mr. Andrew McCarthy, baritone soloist; Miss Mary Joyce, reader; Miss Harriet Shaw, harpist of Boston Symphony orchestra, and Mrs. Teresa Mahoney Donovan, soprano soloist of Lawrence.

There are still some very good 50 and 75 cent seats left and they can be obtained at Steinert's music store.

An early application is necessary, in order to exchange for reserved seats on and after April 6.

All pupils of Notre Dame and their friends may anticipate a delightful evening's entertainment prepared for for them.

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GOOD SEATS FOR THOSE WHO COME EARLY.

SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

LOCAL BUILDING NEWS

Business Continues Brisk and Demand for Permits is Large—Real Estate Men Busy

Increased activity continues to prevail in the real estate and building circles and during the past week at city hall there was a big demand for permits. The total value of the permits, which numbered about 16, is approximately $24,705, quite a nice sum to be spent in Lowell for new buildings and remodelling of old. Out of the number of permits, ten called for new buildings and of these ten, nine were issued to cover the erection of new dwellings of from one to three apartments.

The real estate men report very favorably of the conditions of the market and still maintain in many instances that their one obstacle is the shortage of suitable property to show prospective buyers. Many people already owning property will buy more, if suitable parcels are offered for sale, but they cannot be induced to sell.

Fred Desrosiers is one of several who are constructing apartment houses. Mr. Desrosiers will erect a three apartment dwelling at 723-725 Moody street. Each apartment is to have six rooms, pantry and bath. The roof will be flat, the foundation of stone and there will be two stairways, one front and the other in the rear portion of the house. The cost as estimated will be approximately $3000.

A two apartment dwelling is to be erected for William McDonald at 53-61 Norcross street. The apartments will consist of 5 rooms, pantry and bath each, and the building will be two and one-half stories in height. There will be two stairways and the method of heating will be by steam. The cost will be approximately $3000.

A single family house will be built for Annie J. Dorine at 148 Carlisle street. The building will be a story and one-half in height and will measure 24 by 18 feet. A furnace will be the method of heating. $1200 is the estimated cost. The owner is a resident of East Chelmsford.

A new dwelling will be erected at 154 A street by Henry A. Derby. The building will consist of one story and attic, measuring 24 by 30 feet. It will have five rooms, pantry and bath and the cost will be in the vicinity of $1300.

John L. Holman will erect a new house on his property at 138 Liberty street at a cost of about $3000. The new house will measure 24 by 30 feet, will have seven rooms, pantry and bath and will be heated by steam.

A two family house will be built for James Dow at 155-157 B street. The house will be two and one-half stories in height and will measure 24 by 50 feet. Each tenement will consist of 5 rooms, pantry and bath. The cost is placed at $3500.

Michael Riley is another of those who are building new dwellings. Mr. Riley's new house will be erected at 80 Upham street, the principal material being wood. The front will be 24 feet and the side 32 feet. The dwelling will have one apartment of 7 rooms, bath and pantry and will be heated by steam. The cost will be $2600.

George A. Coburn will build a single apartment dwelling at 70 Upham street at a cost of $2500. The dwelling will be 24 by 32 feet in size and will have seven rooms pantry and bath, method of heating to be steam.

Margaret W. Merrill will finish the house at 112 Woburn street which was begun in 1913 by W. H. Hansen. The house will have six roms instead of five as called for in the original permit, otherwise the specifications are the same. The cost of completion will be $500.

Octave Lamontagne and Louis Pouissant are building a storage shed in Cumberland road, off Dalton street, 30 by 18 feet in size and one story in height. The cost will be $200.

Manuel J. Avila is changing the store front at Central street, corner of Charles street. The alterations will result in affording a salesroom and bake shop. The door will be changed over and a new window built in. The work will cost $50.

Katherine Kearns is building a new piazza to replace the old one at her house at 99 Beach street. The work will cost about $100.

Louis Ducharme is building an addition for a store on his property at 675 Middlesex street. The front of the building will be changed over for store purposes. The work of remodeling will cost in the neighborhood of $150.

In the building at 28 Suffolk street, leased by George Thomas and George Kalaf, a new brick oven will be constructed at a cost of $500. The oven will be built on a concrete floor.

An iron stack for a boiler chimney will be constructed by Charles P. Dodge at 537 School street. The boiler will be installed in the barn and the one in the house removed.

Ella B. Pierce at 95 Ford street is having a new sleeping porch built on the roof of her dwelling at a cost of $75.

REAL ESTATE DEALERS

Sales by E. Gaston Campbell

E. Gaston Campbell, with offices at 325-328 Hildreth building, reports the following sales for the week ending April 2:

Bond for a deed has been signed on two lots of land situated on Farmland road, West Centralville. The obligee's, Edmond Traversy, who is a contractor, intentions are to build modern houses on these lots. Further particulars will be given when deeds are ready to be recorded.

Agreements have been signed for the purchase and sale of an extra large lot of land located on Lakeview avenue near Campaw street. This lot contains nearly 11,000 square feet and full particulars will be given upon passing of final papers.

Agreements have also been signed on a two-tenement house of six rooms to each tenement, with a shed, barn and a lot containing 6000 square feet. The grantee in this transaction buys as an investment and full particulars will be given upon passing of final papers.

Sales by Byam Bros.

Byam Bros. real estate brokers with offices at 97 Central street, report the following sales for the week ending April 2, 1915:

Papers have been passed on the transfer of a first-class cottage house on Centralville Hill. This is situated at 60 Nineteenth street with a south and west exposure. The property comprises a seven room cottage with small shop in rear and land totaling 5000 square feet. The sale has been effected for Charles H. and Katie E. Mears, and the purchaser is Ellen M. Marshall. Mrs. Marshall is to occupy the premises in the near future.

Final papers have been taken to record whereby the property situated at 90 Parker avenue, Dracut, Mass., comprising a seven room cottage, stable, hen house and ten thousand square feet of land has been conveyed by Mrs. Louis M. Doyle to local parties who buy for home purposes. This office was assisted in this transaction by the office of Thomas H. Elliott.

Contracts calling for the purchase and sale have been signed calling for the transfer in the near future of a seven room cottage home on Shaw street. Full details will be given upon passing of final papers.

Contracts by Geo. A. Hill

Geo. A. Hill, the electrical contractor, is installing the electric lighting fixtures in a new house for E. A. Simpson on Wyman street. He is also wiring a large cement four-apartment house in Centralville for Mr. Jacques Boisvert.

THE EXPOSITION ROSE

The rose display at the Panama-Pacific International exposition proves itself to be one of the horticultural wonders of the world. The famous international rose-growers have entered thousands of plants in competition for the $1000 prize for the best rose, hitherto unnamed and never before exhibited, which can be produced. This rose, when the award is made, will be given a name that will pertain to the exposition, thus perpetuating the name and the glory of the exposition through the medium of a lovely bloom.

ISLANDS THAT GROW

At Yamagata, Japan, says an exchange, there is a small lake called the Lake of Floating Islands, that contains at times as many as sixty islands that change their position constantly. The islands, which move first one way and then the other, start from masses of vegetable debris that are carried to the surface by bubbles of gas; reeds soon grow on these masses in such quantity that they sometimes become topheavy and overturn. In that case the reeds grow on the newly exposed side, until the islands have become so deep and wide that they will no longer turn over. Professor Kusakabe, of the Tohoku Imperial university and several associates have investigated the mysterious movements of these floating islands. By placing wooden floats in the lake to show the situation and direction of the various currents Professor Kusakabe and his associates found that the combined action of currents of air and water is what makes the islands move.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUILD

All over the country the papers have been laying particular stress on this being the time to build. Some of the arguments put forth have been well worth serious consideration, and all of them are timely and ought to be acted on by those who have the money to build. The northern, western and southern papers have been publishing a good deal of matter of this kind. A recent issue of the Albany Herald, of Albany, Ga., has a good article along this line, saying among other things the following:

"The war in Europe is not going to last forever. It must end some time, and conditions are not apt to grow worse than they are now. They are more apt to gradually improve as the industrial and commercial world recovers from the shock of changed conditions and adjusts itself to the new order of things.

"In the meantime, consider this:

"Labor is cheaper now than in many years.

"So is building material of all kinds—lumber, brick, lime, cement, and almost everything else that goes into the construction of a dwelling house or a business structure.

"Therefore, those who are in position to do so should seize the golden opportunity and get ready to take advantage of the 'good times' which are sure to return before very long.

"Such a policy, if adopted on a considerable scale, would stimulate all lines of business. The unemployed would be given employment. They would have money to spend and it would be spent with the merchants in all lines of trade. Business would pick up in gratifying manner through all channels of trade.

"Then there are those who could take advantage of the low cost of labor and material by making minor improvements if not in position to embark on more extensive building operations. Homes could be repaired and painted. Premises could be put in first-class condition. The whole town could be made to look better and numbers of people would receive employment who are now out of work."—St. Louise Lumberman.

PLANT A TREE

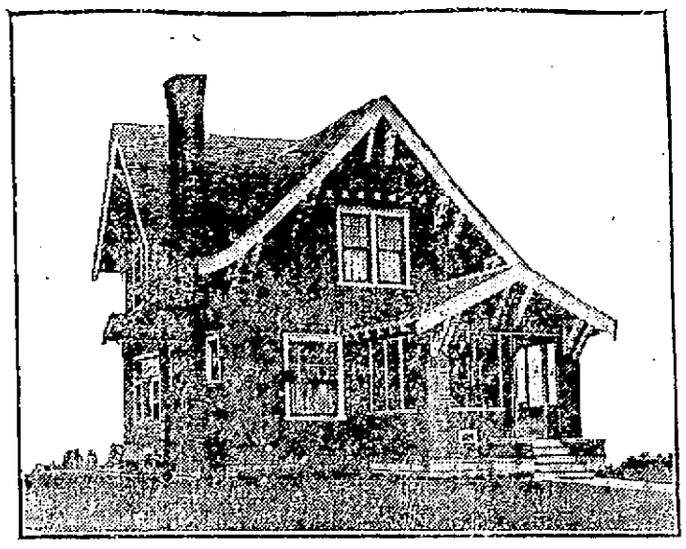
Whether it be a fruit tree, an ornamental tree or a timber tree, the time devoted to planting it is well and worthily spent, says the Louisville Courier-Journal. Within the last two decades the whole country has awakened to the importance of the forestry question. All states should be interested in preserving the remnants of our goodly forest heritage, and in passing on to future generations a land beautified and glorified by its wealth of trees.

It requires years for nature to build a perfect tree, and it requires only a few moments for a man to destroy nature's work. The time is come when nature must be assisted in the beneficent task of reforestation.

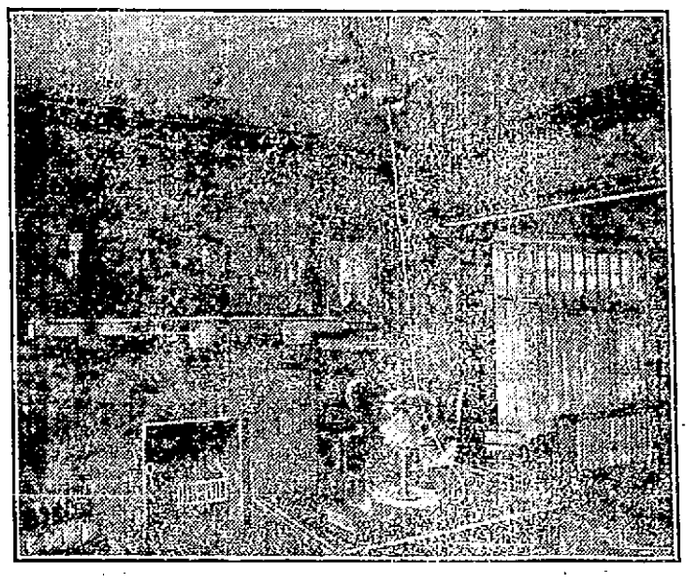
THE CONCRETE HOUSE

That "the concrete house" is elusive of definition is made evident by the houses now seen. Cast-in-place houses with solid walls, with steel forms, and with unit wall apparatus; houses of pre-cast units varying from the relatively small block units to light thin sections for double walls and large two and three-ton units handled by an electric crane—all these are in evidence. Then in the matter of architectural development there are various stucco treatments, brushed and rubbed surfaces and beautiful color effects. The concrete house is not one kind of house. Concrete is a universal material and its variety of applications does not lag in realization through any inherent sameness in the material itself, either structurally or architecturally. The applications merely wait upon a skilled hand to work them. That they are being worked out to meet various demands of purse and taste is evidenced by the many examples in all parts of the country.—Concrete-Cement Age.

COLONIAL AND BUNGALOW STYLE



PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH



INTERIOR VIEW—LIVING ROOM

The interior view shows the end of the living room, which runs the full width of the house. The fireplace has art glass windows on each side. The breast of the fireplace is constructed with a six inch square and dull glazed tile with large joints. The color of the mortar can be either black, gray or white. The hearth of the fireplace is made of the same material as the breast. Above the breast of the fireplace is heavy wood mantel shelf, with three 6-inch face brackets under it. This makes the front of the fireplace massive. Size, 26 feet wide by 28 feet deep, exclusive of the front porch. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, $2200.

SALEM'S NEW BUILDING CODE

The new building code which was adopted the third week in August by the rebuilding commission of the city of Salem, Mass., specifies that for structures which may be erected on the burned district, the roofs must be of slate, tile, terra cotta, metal or some other equally incombustible material. The code allows for factory and mill construction, but these buildings must be of first or second class construction or built with a mill frame and an exterior of metal or other incombustible material.

In regard to the residential section the code reads as follows:

"No building will be allowed to run nearer than 5 feet to the adjoining lot, and there must be a distance of at least 10 ft. between buildings on the same lot. No building shall occupy more than 75 per cent. of the lot on which it is built, unless it be on a corner, then it may occupy 80 per cent. of the lot."

The new regulations apply only to the burned district.

HINTS ON HOUSE PLANNING

When you commence to plan your new house get a good-sized scrapbook in which to paste every kind of a suggestion you come across. There are hundreds of little ideas, as well as some larger ones, which will help you give your home added charm or comfort without much increase in cost. Ideas about built-in things, from a simple shelf to a medicine closet or a seat in an inglenook. There are things to do and things not to do about the placing of lights and of radiators and of water or steam pipes. There are principles of harmony to be remembered in the selection of rugs, draperies, wall decorations and furniture. We all run across such suggestions, but rarely remember them. So get a scrapbook, or else a large envelope or a flat box, labeled "The New House." It will pay.

TREE-BREATHING

Trees breathe the same as animals, says an exchange. They inhale oxygen and exhale carbonic acid gas. The oxygen is taken in through the leaves and through the minute openings in the bark, called lenticels. This process of breathing goes on in the tree day and night but assimilation takes place only in the daylight.

LIMITING FRAME HOUSES

The suggestion of placing a limit in the suburban districts of New York outside of the fire limits within which frame construction will be restricted to detached dwellings appears to be meeting with considerable favor. Reports from the boroughs affected show that many of the real estate operators as well as the residents approve of the project and the feeling is quite general that all sections of the city in which development of any kind has started might very properly be included. In view of this general sentiment the outlines for the suburban limits have been drawn to include large areas where heretofore there was no restriction.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending April 2

LOWELL

Annette Stewart to Nellie S. White, land and buildings corner May and Thirteenth streets.

Franklin D. Russell et ux., to Patrick F. Mahoney, land on Parkview avenue.

Dionysios A. Sakellarois et ux. to Patrick F. Mahoney, land and buildings on Mammoth road.

Patrick F. Mahoney et ux., to Dionysios A. Sakellarios, land and buildings on Lakeview avenue and passageway.

Honore Blanchard et ux., to Jacques Boisvert, land and buildings on Ferry lane.

Desire Ducharme et ux to Jacques Boisvert, land and buildings on Carolyn street.

Peter A. Paradis et ux. to James McArdle et ux., land and buildings on East Pine and Nichols streets and passageway.

Fred W. Wood et al, trs., to Alfred Perront, land on Wollaston street.

Edwin P. Stone and as exor., to George C. Stone et al, land on Wilder street.

Arthur W. Huguley et ux., to Chas. P. Witham, land on Putnam avenue

Walter H. Redman et al. to John H. Redman, land on Beacon street.

John H. Redman et al. to Francis M. Qua, land on Beacon street.

Francis M. Qua to John H. Redman et al, land on Beacon street.

Katie E. Mears et al. to Ellen M. Marshall, land and buildings on Nineteenth street.

Roxanna Pullen to David Shapiro et ux., land and buildings on Royal st.

David Benjamin Oliver et ux., to John J. Conlon, land on Townsend avenue.

David Benjamin Oliver et ux., to John J. Conlon, land on Melrose avenue

Ellen F. Gardner et al. to Flora Hartwell Sprague, land and buildings on Pine street.

Flora Hartwell Sprague to Theodore F. Gardner et al, land and buildings on Pine street

Susan J. Fahey et al. to William J. Fahey, land and buildings on Central street.

Esrel Greenberg et ux., to Gertrude I Brams, land and buildings corner Lane street and passageway.

Joseph B. V. Coburn et al, to Hugo P. Dick, land and buildings on Varnum avenue.

Mary A. Cooney et al. to Charles W. Swan's tr., land and buildings on Olive and Congress streets and Congress avenue.

Harriet F. Shirley et al. to Mary A. Cheney, land and buildings on Gorham and Olive streets.

Kenneth D. McKinnon et ux., to Edmund P. Brooks, land and buildings on Morton street and Mission place.

Charles F. Devine et al. to Annie J. Devine, land and buildings on Carlisle street.

BILLERICA

James E. Burke tr. to Addie Mansfield, land on Pinehurst avenue.

James E. Burke tr. to Harriet Monahan, land at The Pines.

Fred M. Barney et ux to James F. Owens, land on road to Wilmington.

Jacob W. Wilbur et ux to J. W. Wilbur Co., Inc., Boston land.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Elizabeth Bayblit, land at Nuttings Lake park.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to John J. Helleen, land at Nuttings Lake park annex.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Lillian G. Helleen, land at Nuttings Lake park annex.

George H. Shields tr. to Edward McDonough et al, land at Nuttings Lake park annex.

James R. Adams to James Graham, land.

Charles A. Ranlett est. by tr. to Mildred F. Conklin, land on Osceola and Sabbatia lanes.

CHELMSFORD

Lillie E. Watt et al. to Dennis Duffy, land on Chelmsford street.

Edmund A. Carll et ux to Lillie E. Watt, land cor Chelmsford street and passageway.

James R. Adams to James Graham, land and buildings.

Wm. F. Gately to James G. Birtwell et al, land on Gorham street.

DRACUT

Jacob W. Wilbur et ux to J. W. Wilbur Co., Inc., Boston, land.

Hiram E. Huse et al, to Central Congregational church, Dracut, land on Delbert street.

Hiram E. Huse et al to S. Elizabeth Parker et al, land on Delbert street.

Town of Dracut to Emily B. Eastman, land on Pleasant street and Aiken avenue.

Reinoldy R. Pauline Rhomberg to Elizabeth J. Folsom, land and buildings at Kenwood

TEWKSBURY

James E. Burke tr. to John Lopes Sardina, land at Mechanics park.

James E. Burke tr. to John Lopes Sardina et als, gdn, land at Mechanics park.

Jacob W. Wilbur et ux to J. W. Wilbur Co., Inc., Boston, land.

John P. Flynn et al to Emma Moller, land on Glenwood and Maplewood avenues and South street.

Grace V. Nickerson to Henderson E. Miller, land on Clyde avenue.

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Dolar Larivierre et ux to Harry H. Clark et ux, land on Bancroft street.

WILMINGTON

Edward S. Eaton et ux to Constantinos D. Dimaras, land on Kensington avenue.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Mary Josephine Marcoux, land on Laurel avenue.

Edward S. Eaton et ux to Daniel C. Humphreys et ux, land and buildings on Smith and Burnham streets and Berwick and Cook avenues.

Grace V. Nickerson to Henderson E. Miller, land on Clyde avenue.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Teachers in Chicago's public schools may become mothers without suffering the loss of their positions, but, once mothers, they must stay at home for two years and devote these entirely to the child's interest.

Mrs. Keith Donaldson, once known as the "Million Dollar Bride," is thinking seriously of going on the stage to secure money with which to continue her fight for her daughter, who is now in the possession of her mother-in-law.

Mrs. Hortense Ward, of Houston, Texas, who was recently admitted to practice before the United States supreme court, is active in state politics and two years ago led the movement that won separate property rights for women in Texas.

Miss Charlotte Barth, of Denver, who has just won a legal contest for the $6,000,000 estate of her grandfather, has arranged to finance a religious mission in Denver with the object of gathering Jewish converts to the folds of Christianity.

Today, April 3rd, is "Quarter Day" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

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THE SPELLBINDER

"I didn't raise my boy to be a soldier,
To junket on the city's needed dough;
To march along with musket on his shoulder,
For which three thousand dollars we must blow.
Let's spend the city funds with more discretion,
Than wasting them upon an empty show.
If the voters had their say.
There'd be no talk today
Of blowing in 3000 on the soldier."

That July 4th Celebration

On Thursday night a man was badly injured in an automobile accident beyond the pumping station on the boulevard. The ambulance responded with all haste and dashed back to the general hospital with the victim, as fast as the horse could travel, but upon its arrival the man was dead. Perhaps had he arrived there a few minutes sooner his life might have been saved. Had he been carried to the hospital in a motor-drawn ambulance, he would have arrived there alive. The city can't afford to purchase an auto ambulance on account of its financial condition, but the $3000 that it proposes to spend upon a military pageant on July 4th would purchase and fully equip an auto ambulance, and there'd be money left over, out of that amount.

Frequently one reads in the newspapers the following: "The ambulance was summoned but the victim died on the way to the hospital."

That $3000 would purchase an auto-ambulance, but then the members of the municipal council would be deprived of the proud privilege of standing upon a reviewing stand with chests extended, to review a grand military pageant.

Last Tuesday in what was supposed to be a conference between the mayor and a committee representing the Federation of Churches, the latter organization submitted a protest against the proposed military pageant on July 4th, advancing three reasons for its opposition. The first two reasons are open to discussion pro and con, but there is no doubt as to the validity of the third reason advanced by the ministers, which is as follows: "Our city presents too many needs to warrant the spending of so large a sum as has been voted by your honorable body for a military display. These needs are too evident; too well known to call for enumeration."

The heads of departments and the commissioners themselves have been crying for more money for needed repairs and improvements: the unemployed have been crying for an opportunity to earn a living, but to no avail, on account of the city's financial condition, and into the bargain the taxpayers have been crying against the highest tax rate in history with little to show for it. Yet the municipal council proposes to spend $3000 and probably more, on a one-day show which, while interesting, is not worth the expenditure under the existing conditions. The fact that the municipal council has voted $3000 for the show does not indicate that $3000 represents all that the city will have to spend on the pageant. At Tuesday's conference Mayor Murphy outlined a plan which figured up a cost of $3700 for the celebration, while Mr. MacBrayne, who represented the militiamen, stated that the show would cost $10,000.

Who is going to meet the balance? Not the militiamen for they are being paid for giving the show. It is almost too much to expect that the merchants of Lowell will contribute $7000 for a celebration that is to be held on a day when their stores will be closed. And the city can't afford to have it said that the big city of Lowell authorized a military pageant and failed to meet the expenses thereof.

As yet the promoters of the celebration have offered no explanation of how they are to run a $10,000 show on an appropriation of $3000. The municipal commissioners may not care how it is to be done, but the taxpayers care and the merchants care.

Where is all this additional money coming from?

Is it to be the same old story over again; after the cheering has died away, like Jones of old, will the taxpayer pay the freight?

Assuming that the promoters of the event are able to finance a $10,000 celebration to the extent of $7000, why not make it a $7000 affair and exempt the city from any expense. The ordinary citizen couldn't tell the difference between a military blowout costing $7000 and one that costs $10,000.

If the promoters of the event have $7000 to spend on a celebration why not hold one for that amount complimentary to the city of Lowell?

How Money Could Be Spent

One week ago Thursday The Spellbinder, referring to the proposed celebration, showed how that $3000 could be better spent, enumerating several instances. The Courier-Citizen, which recently has come around to The Sun's way of thinking on the matter, evidently read the article for in yesterday's issue of that paper were several more instances along the same line, among them being the following:

"$3000 will give work to 100 men for two weeks, at a wage of two dollars a day.

$3000 will lay 1000 feet of 12-inch sewer pipe at a depth of nine and a half feet.

$3000 will buy about 1,000 four-inch paving blocks which will cover 2700 square yards of pavement.

$3000 will pay for the laying of 890 square yards of granite block paving, reckoning at $3.37 a square yard.

$3000 will lay 3500 square yards of tar macadam on an old base.

$3000 will give to the park department the sum it asked for playgrounds, whereas it was voted but $1500 this year.

$3000 will install an electrically propelled elevator at city hall, making it unnecessary to keep coal fires burning the year round to operate it.

$3000 will pay for additional nurses to be attached to the health department.

$3000 will take care of many Lowell patients at Rutland and other tuberculosis sanitoria.

$3000 will purchase six pairs of horses for the street department, allowing the broken down ones to go to Red Acre farm.

$3000 will pay interest at the rate of 5 per cent on $60,000, and the city has several times $60,000 borrowed on which interest will fall due this year."

Municipal Ingratitude

There are two instances on record at the present time in which the city of Lowell is convicted of the sin of gross ingratitude, namely the neglect of Shedd park and the use of the John Davis fund to meet the running expenses of the city library. The city of Lowell promised in accepting Shedd park that it would spend money annually on the improvement of the land, that being the condition under which the gift was made. Now that Mr. Shedd is dead and can't protest, the city appropriates only money enough to meet the letter of that condition. This year it appropriated a measly $500 for the improvement of the park, a mere drop in the bucket, simply to be able to swear if called upon to do so that it did make an appropriation for the improvement of the gift. The amount of work that will be done with $500 will not be noticeable upon its completion even to the keenest observer.

Then there's the Davis fund. None will deny that our library is being run with the strictest economy, and yet the city is guilty of using a trust fund bequeathed to it for a specific purpose for another purpose. City Librarian Chase has earnestly and eloquently set forth the needs of the library without avail, while the Davis fund has been used regardless of the conditions of the bequest.

And yet the city which cannot afford to respect the wishes of its deceased benefactors can afford to blow in $3000 on a needless pageant. That $3000 would help considerably, if divided between the library and Shedd park.

Of course dead men don't vote. But how is the city to expect any bequests in the future when the donors of the future contemplate the city's ungrateful behavior toward those of the past?

The city has so many crying needs that one would think the municipal council wouldn't dare to appropriate so much money for a one-day celebration.

Looked Like a Frame-Up"

When The Sun asked Rev. Dr. Ferrin a few days ago for what purpose the conference with the mayor had been called by the Federation of Churches, the reverend gentleman stated that as the meeting was a conference, the federation didn't feel at liberty to give out any advance information. Undoubtedly this was done out of courtesy to His Honor, the other party to the conference. But upon their arrival at the mayor's office, the clergymen were much surprised to find present a representative of the militiamen, armed with a lengthy statement replying to their protest, even before they had made known its details. They had requested a conference with the mayor, but instead were subjected to a severe scolding by Mr. MacBrayne, representing the militia, and were placed in the same category with the I. W. W., the anarchists and others of a godless and unpatriotic nature.

One of Mr. MacBrayne's principal reasons for the celebration was that Lowell would be more widely advertised than it has been for five years. In view of the fact that already it has been advertised throughout the commonwealth as having one of the highest tax rates in the state, the widespread publication of the additional fact that it intends to keep that tax rate in the air by blowing in $3000 on a one-day celebration, may not be the kind of advertising that pays, that the city needs or desires.

But the ministers are still wondering how it came to pass that Mr. MacBrayne was present with a prepared answer to their protest when nobody knew what they were there for but the mayor.

Principal Irish's Object Lesson

Knowing as an educator, the force of teaching by object-lesson, Principal Irish at Thursday's "Lowell day" exercises at the High school couldn't resist the temptation to spring one on the municipal council, through Mayor Murphy, who was present. There were several hundred pupils who couldn't get into the exercises and Principal Irish after His Honor had spoken, expressed his regret that there were between 500 and 600 pupils who had been unable to attend on account of the limited accommodations. "We need a new high school," said Principal Irish. "Is there any doubt about it, Mr. Murphy?"

Appointment of Lieut. Duncan

The appointment of Sergeant Alexander Duncan to the vacant lieutenancy in the police department without doubt gives perfect satisfaction to everybody outside of the police department and probably to most everybody within the department. It was an excellent appointment but the case was one in which His Honor couldn't do otherwise than make a good selection, for he had three good men from whom to select. Under the circumstances he did the very best thing; took the man at the top of the list, and there can be no adverse criticism of the appointment.

And now, who is to get the position of sergeant made vacant by the promotion of Lieutenant Duncan?

The present eligible list for sergeant comprises George B. Palmer, William Wilson, Samuel E. Bigelow and Thomas B. Riley, all "good boys," who took the examination nearly two years ago, when Former Mayor O'Donnell had an appointment to make. If His Honor desires to he may appoint at once from the present list but if he waits a few weeks another examination will be necessary as the 2-year limit for eligible lists will have expired and these men will be required to take the examination again in order to get on the new list. The examination for sergeant two years ago was taken under unusual circumstances. Former Mayor O'Donnell had an appointment to make and his expressed choice was Patrolman James Holland. An examination was called by the civil service commission as at that time there was no list in existence. Before it took place, however, word was sent around by the patrolmen themselves that as the mayor desired to appoint Patrolman Holland, it would be a courteous act toward His Honor not to compete against Patrolman Holland in the examination. As a result when the examinations were held, the only men to take it, were Sergt. Petrie, Patrolman Holland and the four men whose names are now on the list, where ordinarily nearly every patrolman in the department would have taken it. Patrolman Holland passed successfully and was about to be appointed when the civil service commission discovered an omission in his application and his name was stricken from the eligible list, and Sergt. Petrie subsequently was appointed. Thus while the men who took the examination had a perfect right to take it, regardless of whom the mayor wished to appoint, and are legally entitled to the position they hold on the list, the list as it stands with only four names in a field of considerably over 100, does not fairly represent the number of men really eligible for promotion, and under the "equal rights for all; special privileges to none" theory, His Honor should give all the men in the department an opportunity to compete for the promotion. Of course, if he intends to promote one of the four now on, he can do so if he acts quickly, as the present list holds good for a few few weeks longer.

The Petrie Decision

Two railwaymen met in front of The Sun building, Wednesday, and the following dialogue took place:

"The mayor has given out his decision."

"That so?" "When?"

"This noon."

"Written?"

"No, rotten!"

Of course, the speaker referred to the subject matter of His Honor's decision rather than its composition, for the decision was a disappointment, to the railwaymen, though not entirely unexpected. The decision was forecasted two weeks ago by The Spellbinder. His Honor omitted notifying The Sun of the decision, but The Sun was the first to present it to the public, nevertheless, while despite the fact that Daniel J. Donahue, Esq., was counsel for Sergt. Petrie, that gentleman received his first information concerning it from The Sun. From what one hears from the street railwaymen, speaking as individuals, the incident does not close with the mayor's decision.

THE SPELLBINDER.

SLEEPYTIME TALES

BY VIRGINIA VALE

FOR THE LITTLE READERS OF THE SUN

DANCE OF THE RAINDROPS

Once upon a time the raindrops decided to have a dancing party such as had never been given before. The snowdrops, their great rivals in winter, had departed, driven away by the sun king so the raindrops knew they would not be interfered with until next winter.

The sun king had given his permission for the dance and had promised to stay in one whole day, as he knew his hot rays would spoil the dance.

One day all the raindrops gathered above the very place you live and the dance began. They didn't need any outside music for each raindrop made his own as he came down from the clouds. Each drop was all shiny and round, all in their best clothes.

They all danced alone and all over the sidewalks, the streets, and the roofs they splashed and danced and frolicked until they got so tired they just lay quiet and slept. Of course they didn't lie on the sidewalks or streets as they might get stepped on and killed, so as they went to sleep they melted all up into tiny silvery streams and rolled off into the deep gutter where they went altogether singing as they went, to the sewer and so into the sea.

That was not the end of them, however, for the sun king drew them up from the sea into their cloud homes again where they immediately began to arrange for another party in a few days.

CROWN BISMARCK'S WORK

KAISER SAYS GOD'S GRACE AND WILL TO WIN GUARANTEE GERMANY'S VICTORY

AMSTERDAM, via London, April 3.—Replying to a telegram from the imperial chancellor, the emperor sent the following dispatch from army headquarters:

"Your message concerning the stirring celebration in honor of Bismarck has rejoiced me greatly. I would with great pleasure attend personally to do homage to the great chancellor and lay on the steps of the monument, amidst the representatives of the empire and the people, a token of his reverence for the man who in this present earnest time is especially dear to us as the personification of German strength and determination; but my duty to the armed German people is to hold out in the field in order to protect and strengthen the empire's power abroad.

"We shall succeed. Our guarantee is, firstly, God's grace; secondly, the unanimous will to achieve victory which inspires us all, and our solemn vow to make every sacrifice for the fatherland, which has been tested by facts.

"The spirit of unity, which has enabled our men in the battlefield to overcome everything that divided us, will, I confidently hope, outlast the din of war, and after victory has been gained will rightly bless and promote the internal development of the empire.

"Then, as the fruit of duty, life will spring up in which the German nationality will have full and free expansion. The proud work for which Bismarck laid the foundation will be crowned."

KILLED HER SISTER

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 3.—The shooting of Glenna Wheeler, a girl of 10 years, by her 12-year-old sister Florence at their home in Hyde Park became known here yesterday.

The accident occurred Thursday while the children were alone in the house. Florence said that she and her sister were playing with her father's rifle.

She pointed it at Glenna and pulled the trigger, not knowing that the weapon was loaded. The child was shot through the heart and died instantly.

GIRLS WANT TO COMPETE

NEW YORK, April 3.—Many girl athletes, it was learned today, have made application to the Amateur Athletic union headquarters in this city for permission to register and to take part in the Boston and other Marathon races to be held this spring. The applicants argued that if girl swimmers were allowed to register the same privilege should be given to the runners, but they were informed that the athletic authorities would not sanction the participation of women in running events.

PELLETIER STILL ALIVE

Emile Pelletier, who was injured in the automobile accident on the boulevard Thursday night in which his brother, Theodore, was killed, is still in a critical condition at the Lowell General hospital.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To Frank A. Drew, of Chelmsford, in said County of Middlesex, and to his heirs apparent or presumptive, and to the State Board of Insanity.

Whereas, a petition for guardianship has been presented to said Court, by Clara J. Drew and Ernest C. Bartlett, alleging that said Frank A. Drew is an insane person, and incapable of taking care of himself, and praying that Clara J. Drew of said Chelmsford, or some other suitable person, may be appointed his guardian, agreeably to the law in such case made and provided.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in and for said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of April, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why a guardian should not be appointed as aforesaid.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to cause you to be notified of the time and place appointed for the hearing of said complaint, by serving said Frank A. Drew and said State Board of Insanity, with a copy of this order, seven days at least before said Court; and by mailing to said heirs apparent or presumptive at the last known post office address of each, a copy of the same, fourteen days at least before said Court, or instead of said mailing, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
M27-A3-10

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Annie F. Merriam, late of Billerica, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Arthur W. Merriam, of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of April, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

To the Honorable the Municipal Council of the City of Lowell:

Respectfully represents the Bay State Street Railway Company:

That it owns and operates street railway tracks in the City of Lowell, and that public necessity and convenience require certain alterations of locations and relocations thereof.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner, as such Street Railway Company, prays for alterations of locations and relocations of its tracks in said Lowell, as follows:

In Rogers Street, from a point 200 feet west of Nesmith Street to a point approximately 1150 feet east of Boylston Street, including the necessary changes in the double-track branch-off leading to Laurel Street;

In Nesmith street, from Rogers Street approximately 200 feet westerly;

On Gorham Street, between Maple and Fay streets;

Together with such switches, curves and cross connections as may be necessary or convenient for the operation of the cars of said Company; and to erect all necessary additional poles and make all necessary changes in existing poles, wires and other appliances connected therewith, all substantially as shown on plan to be filed with this petition, and that it be granted the right to operate said tracks with electricity as the motive power.

Bay State Street Railway Company,
By P. F. Sullivan, President.

Lowell, Mass., March 29, 1915.

On the foregoing petition the Municipal Council of the City of Lowell will give a hearing at their room, City Hall, Tuesday, April 20, 1915, at 11 o'clock a. m.

By order of the Municipal Council,
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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Southern Div. From Boston Lve.	Arr.	Portland Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Portland Div. From Boston Lve.	Arr.
5.43	6.50	2.35	3.38	6.35	7.33	z6.30	8.06
6.23	7.26	6.03	6.55	b7.52	8.45	9.13	10.22
6.47	7.30	7.11	8.24	9.22	10.53	10.50	11.53
†6.40	7.53	7.50	8.35	†9.27	12.07	11.50	12.55
6.57	8.00	n8.21	9.29	12.02	1.12	3.30	4.40
7.21	8.05	9.00	9.53	z1.27	2.46	5.14	6.12
7.38	8.40	9.30	10.06	3.40	4.41	6.03	7.05
7.56	8.57	11.30	12.00	5.15	6.41	7.00	8.15
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2.30	3.27	b6.11	6.32				
3.49	4.30	5.33	6.34				
4.20	5.27	b6.31	7.14				
5.31	6.27	6.11	7.23				
b6.17	7.22	8.00	8.38				
6.23	7.05	8.30	9.08				
8.06	9.16	10.30	11.36				
9.46	10.30	11.40	12.36				

Sunday Trains Southern Division Lve.	Arr.	Portland Division Lve.	Arr.
6.47	7.37	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.05	9.30	10.08
8.30	9.22	11.30	12.09
9.46	9.55	1.00	1.39
10.40	11.17	5.30	6.24
2.42	3.23	6.00	6.33
5.13	6.00	8.30	9.08
6.27	7.10	9.30	10.25
8.06	8.50	10.20	11.35
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GERMAN LINES CAN BE PIERCED

Movements When Way Was Open Declares British Observer

French Attacks at Perthes Helped British AttackNeuveChapelle

LONDON, April 3.—The official British observer with the French army compares in his latest report, which was issued last night, the results achieved by the French offensive in Champagne with the objects with which the operations were undertaken.

The objects, he says, were to keep a constant pressure on the German first line defenses, in order to effect the use by the Germans of the railway from Bazancourt to Challerange, and to wear down their reserves of men and ammunition.

"As regards the first object," says the report, "the pressure continued for 31 days, with the result that the enemy has lost the fortified area which he had been holding and continually strengthening for five months.

"His use of the Challerange and Bazancourt line had not been materially affected, for, although at certain points it is within range of the French guns, he can, without difficulty, continue to run the trains required for the maintenance of the corps on that part of the front, and the junction at Challerange is secure.

"No Central German Reserves"

"The using up of his reserves has been achieved in a very marked manner. At the beginning of the operation there were some 18 regiments in that part of the line. At its conclusion 33 have been identified.

"Fifteen that had been called up to withstand the French offensive were drawn from many parts of the German line, which indicates that the enemy has no central reserves that he can call up in case of an emergency.

"As regards ammunition: The German artillery has practised economy, which is unusual with them. On many days they made no effort to keep down the fire of the French guns, although this meant heavier losses for their infantry in the trenches.

"This showed clearly that their supply of ammunition was not all that they could have wished, and an extra expenditure may well have made itself felt in the amount available on all parts of the German front.

Helped Russia to Meet Attacks

"Two valuable lessons, therefore, have been learned from these operations. The first is that the German front can be pierced. There were moments both in Champagne and Neuvre Chapelle when the way was open, when nothing more formidable than the weak resistance of sorely-tried troops faced the attackers, and it does not follow because the hole was closed before advantage could be taken of it that this will be the case every time.

"The second lesson learned is that a serious attack on one point has an effect on the enemy's plans and fighting power at every other point. The British attack at Neuve Chapelle ruined the enemy's chances of a big success at St. Eloi. The French attacks at Perthes helped the British attack at Neuve Chapelle, and both these assisted the Russians to withstand the German offensive in the Eastern theatre."

French System of Reserves

Speaking of the inspectors by Gen. Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, of several divisions which had been through the whole of the fighting, the observer says:

"We must not forget that these regiments have had to be brought up to strength, sometimes almost reorganized, after each of their attacks, of which they carried out several during the last 30 days. What we really are looking at is the French system of reinforcements and the system which keeps the army corps not only up to their strength, but up to their full standard of fighting efficiency. It is one which plainly is answering well.

"There is an idea in many circles that France has a number of army corps or divisions somewhere in the background ready to be thrown into the fighting when the great day of victory is at hand. This idea should be dismissed. The army corps of France are all fighting and her reserves will enable them to keep fighting, and fighting hard, so long as the war continues."

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Bill for Emergency Hospital Rooms Refused Third Reading

Supreme Court to Consider Constitutionality of an Income Tax

BOSTON, April 3.—In the state senate yesterday the bill requiring manufacturers who employ 25 persons or more to establish emergency hospital rooms on their premises for treatment of injured, or ill employes was refused a third reading, 14 to 17.

The resolve for an investigation by the state board of education as to the advisability of Massachusetts preparing, compiling and publishing its free text books was rejected without debate or division.

The Boston school teachers' pension bills were put over to Wednesday, as was also the "pony express" liquor transportation bill for no-license cities and towns.

All rules were suspended and the resolve to pay John E. Abbott, since 1895 clerk of senate rules, $1200 annuity received its several readings, was engrossed and sent down for enactment. They were also suspended to pass the bill to allow Watertown to borrow $73,000 to construct a schoolhouse. It was engrossed and sent to the house.

Senator Gordon of Springfield obtained the substitution of a resolve for an adverse report to pay Asa K. Patten of that city $12,000 for injuries received by a defect in the Charles river esplanade. The legislature adjourned to 2 o'clock on Monday.

Brief on Income Tax

Ex-Representative John A. Curtin and Alexander Whiteside, counsel for the Massachusetts Tax association, asked the legislative committee on taxation yesterday morning to transmit to the supreme court a supplementary brief for consideration by the court in constitutionality of an income tax. The brief is for the affirmative.

Arthur D. Hill, counsel for the Boston Real Estate Exchange, was present but offered no objection to the transmission of the brief, and after a short hearing the committee voted to transmit the brief.

The supreme court has had under consideration for a week income tax legislation submitted by the legislature with an order requiring its opinion as to the constitutionality of the same.

Name New Police Chief

Governor Walsh said yesterday afternoon that he hopes to announce next week the appointment of a chief of the state police to succeed Maj-Gen. Jophanus H. Whitney, who died Sunday. Under the law the selection must be made from the present force.

Made as a Test Case

The question of the right of the Boston Transit commission to employ laborers who are not citizens at the Cypress street yards, So. Boston, was brought before Judge Logan of the South Boston court yesterday, the complainant being Edward F. Wallace, representing the state board of labor and industries.

The complaint is that the Transit commission employs non-citizens, in violation of chapter 600, Acts of 1914. Judge Logan took the matter under advisement.

The Cypress street yard is used for the storage of brick and other construction materials and for making cement forms. There is also a machine shop there.

Commissioner of Labor Edwin Mulready and D. Leighton Beal, secretary of the Transit commission, said yesterday that the question at issue has been a matter of friendly controversy for some time, and has been brought into court in order to get a judicial decision as to whether the Transit commission in its attitude is within the law or not.

The complainant claims that the Transit commission is obliged by law to employ citizens when they are available.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merrimack street.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At last evening's meeting of Wamesit lodge, 25, K. of P., two applications for membership were received and referred to the investigation committee. A communication from the grand lodge was read by the keeper of records and seals and acted upon. The sick committee reported that Brothers Belle-Isle and Dube, who have been ill, are much better and able to resume work. It was announced that the lodge will work the rank of knight on five esquires next Friday evening.

Eirene Lodge, I. O. G. T.

At the regular meeting of Eirene lodge, I. O. G. T., held at the home of Mrs Sadie Warren, Kenwood, the following delegates were elected to the annual session of Merrimack Valley district lodge: F. E. McLean, G. F. Tilton, Jr, and Helen S Lester. A committee was also appointed to make arrangements for a public meeting and concert to be held in Veritas hall on Thursday evening, April 29. Following the business session there were songs by Mrs. Ina Mountford and Miss Maud M Mountford. Refreshments were served.

When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg. Telephone.

GREAT EASTER FESTIVAL

Continued

violin, piano and organ.
Processional Hymn: Jesus Christ is Risen Today.
Introit Anthem: Benedictus in A, Mrs. H. H. A. Beach.
Responses to the Commandments and Gloria Tibi in F.....Stainer
Sermon Hymn: Come Ye Faithful.
Offertory Anthem: .....H. W. Parker
Light's Glittering Morning Bedecks the Sky.
Sanctus in F .....Gounod
Communion Hymn: At the Lamb's High Feast.
Gloria in Excelsis .....Old Chant
Recessional Hymn: The Day of Resurrection.
Postlude—Finale—Bartlett.
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Mr. Charles F. Brown, organist and choirmaster.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Processional Hymn, Jesus Christ is Risen Today .....Morgan
Anthem, Christ Our Passover, ... Beethoven
Gloria Patri .....Beethoven
Te Deum in Key of B Minor..D. Buck
Jubilate Deo .....Faircloug
Hymn, "The Day of Resurrection," ..... Tours
Kyrie .....Woodward
Gloria Tibi .....Tuckerman
Offertory Anthem: God Hath Appointed a Day .....Tours
Sanctus Hymn: And Now, O Father, Mindful of the Love.....Mowk
Recessional Hymn: At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing.....Rosemiller

ST. LOUIS'

Solemn High Mass at 9.30
Processional—Organ and orchestra
Introit—Resurrexi ..... Gregorian
Kyrie ..... Blasel
Gloria ..... Blasel
Credo ..... Blasel
Offertory
Haec Dies ..... Hammerel
Soloists: Clemence Simard and Isaie Michaud.
Sanctus ..... Blasel
Agnus Dei ..... Blasel
Recessional—Organ and orchestra
Soloists at mass: Misses Clemence Simard, Alice Pratte, Bernadette Fontaine and Eva Dupuis; Isaie Michaud, Arcolle Brunelle, Urgele Favreau and O. J. David. Miss Ida Mongrain, organist, and O. J. David, choirmaster.

FIRST TRINITARIAN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Morning 10.30
Anthem, Awake, Thou That Sleepest Simper
Senior choir
Anthem, From Thy Love as a Father, From the Redemption by Gounod
Senior choir with solo by Miss Eva Henderson
Anthem by Junior choir
Song and recitations by beginners' department of Sunday school.
12 m. Graded Sunday school. Brief opening exercises and lesson and general assembly in vestry at 12.35. Contest announcements and Easter dedication service.
4 p. m. Special service addressed by Dr. Enrich, secretary of Home Missionary society in English and Dr. Hajjar of Lawrence in Arabic for Syrian and other peoples understanding this language.
5.45 C. E. Topic, In the Face of Triumph or Disaster, What? Leader, Mr. Lockhart.
7 p. m. Evening worship with sermon, The Double Victory of Christ and the Christian, of Soul and Body, over Sin and Death, in Life and Through Death.
Percy W. Edmunds, musical director; Walter W. Coburn, organist; Mrs. Wm. Wiggin, leader of junior choir.
Seats free, all services. Strangers welcome.

ST PAUL'S M E CHURCH

Morning Service, 10.30
Organ prelude, Resurrection Morn, Johnson
Doxology, Apostles' Creed, Congregation standing
Anthem, Unfold, Ye Portals, from the Redemption.
Prayer and response
Anthem, The Dawn of Easter Junior choir
Responsive reading and Gloria, Congregation standing.
Scripture reading
Anthem, As it Began to Dawn, Vincent
Offertory, Adio .....Bohm
Hymn
Sermon, "Emancipation from the Fear of Death,"
Hymn
Benediction
Postlude, Hosanna .....Wachs
Large junior choir, Mrs. C. F. Richardson, leader.
Adult chorus, 30 voices, Peter Picken, director.
Organist, Charles V. Barker.
Sunday school concert at 6 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. J. M. Craig, Pastor
Morning, 10.30
Organ voluntary, St. Cecelia...Batiste
Anthem, Herald the Story, Junior Choir
Miss Edith E. Haines, Director
Scripture reading
Hymn
Prayer
Anthem, What Say the Bells? Junior Choir
Offertory ..... Tucker
Hymn
Sermon, "The Rending of the Veil."
Anthem, Glad Easter Day, Choir
Evening at 7
Organ voluntary .....Mendelssohn
Hymn
Reading of Scriptures
Anthem, Christ Is Risen.....Adams
Prayer
Anthem, Easter Bells.....Rosmon
Offertory
Sermon, "No Resurrection, No Christianity."
Hymn
Organist, Miss Minnie Tucker.
Geo. F. Maguire, director.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Morning at 10.30
Easter service. Sermon, "The Great Hope."
The following elaborate musical program will be rendered by the full choir, assisted by Mr. William Daley, violinist of Boston.
Organ Voluntary .....Godard
Mr. Daley and Mrs. Taylor
Anthems:
I Heard a Great Voice.....Manney
As It Began To Dawn.....Ambrose
O Risen Lord .....Fisher
Violin Obligato
Response, The Buds Are Bursting On the Trees .....Warren
Offertory Solo, Sanctus.....Gounod
Mr. Daley
Jesus Christ Is Risen ....Neidlinger
Postlude .....Lemmens
Sunday school in the auditorium at 12. The choir and Mr. Daley will assist.
Communion and reception of members at 4.30.

PAWTUCKET CHURCH

Morning at 10.30
Organ prelude, Toccata in D...Kinder
Anthem, Christ Is Risen.....Minshall
Solo, Resurrection Day .....Huhn
Mrs. A. T. Howe
Carol, Ring the Joy-bells.....Hosmer
Organ offertory, In Springtime, Kinder
Carols:
(a) Sweet the Bells are Ringing Shannon
(b) Sweet and Clear the Birds are Singing .....Bullard
Anthem, I Know That My Redeemer Lives .....Vincent
Organ postlude, Hosanna .....Wachs
Music by the chorus choir of the church and the junior choir, Sidney R. Flect, organist and director.
Evening at 6
Easter Sunday school concert under the direction of Superintendent Charles F. Miles.

CENTRALVILLE M. E. CHURCH

Rev. W. Earl Pittenger, Pastor
J. Edward Leith, organist; Frank R. Hutchinson, violinist; E. W. Killpartrick, musical director.
Morning at 10.30
Prelude, Adoration (from The Holy City) ..... Gaul
Anthem, As It Began to Dawn..Stults
Chorus choir, with soprano solo by Miss Laura Callahan
Response, Why Seek Ye the Living Trowbridge
Quartet
Tenor solo, Alleuia! He Is Risen Neidlinger
Mr. Edwin W. Killpartrick
With violin obligato
Offertory, Minuet ..... Beethoven
Sermon, Christ's Message of Immortality,
Pastor
Postlude, March .....Guirand
Evening at 6.30
Easter concert by the Sunday school.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST

Prelude—Adagio Pathetique ...Godard
Violin and Organ
Anthems:
I Heard a Great Voice .....Manney
As It Began to Dawn .....Ambrose
O Risen Lord (violin obligato) Fisher
Christ Is Risen .....Turner
Response—The Buds Are Bursting on the Trees ..... Warren
Offertory: Sanctus (violin solo) Gounod
Mr. William L. Daley
Choir: Mrs. Winifred Plagg Symonds, soprano; Mrs. Nettie L. Roberts, alto; Mr. Fred Booth, tenor; Mr. Harry Needham, bass; Mrs. Helen C. Taylor, organist and director; assisted by Mr. William L. Daley, violinist, Boston.

FIRST BAPTIST

Rev. Arthur Crawley Archibald pastor.
10.30 a. m.
Organ prelude, "Old Hundred"...Eddy
Hymn 137
Chorus, "He is Risen,".....Gadsby
Hymn 152.
Duet, "The Magdalene,".....Earren
Sermon, "Spiritual Sublimity of Baptism and Easter"
Quartet, "Alleluia," .....Humphries
Baptism
6.30 p. m.
Organ recital—
1 March .....Wagner
2 Meditation .....LeGarde
3 Grand chorus .....Dubois
4 March .....Gounod
Chorus, "O Light from Yonder Tomb," Dressler
Bass solo, "Resurrection Morn," Rodney
Quartet, "The Lily of the Valley" E. E. Adams
Sermon, "Real Trail Hitters"
Baptism.
Benedictory service.

KIRK STREET CONG. CHURCH

C. A. Lincoln, Pastor.
10.30 a. m. Morning Worship. Special Easter Music
Organ prelude: Fantasie .....Tours
Easter Carol: Let the Merry Church Bells Ring .....Clough-Leiter
Organ Offertory: Gavotte.....Thomas
Anthem: Who Will Roll Us Away the Stone? .....Spence
Soprano Solo: Alleluia.....Humphries
Anthem: Victory .....Shelley
Organ postlude: March.....Faulkes
12 M. Easter Service in the Sunday School:
Processional March
"Welcome,"
Donald Alexander
"An Easter Dialogue,"
Woodbury Howard, Wright McAllister
Scripture Reading,
The Superintendent
Carol, "Christ Arose,"
Senior Chorus
Prayer, The Pastor.
Song, Primary Department
"Easter Legends,"
Helen Carley, John J. Harvey, Jr.
"A Legend Confirmed,"
Brooke Coverns
Song, "Crown the Easter King,"
Junior Department
"The Legend of the Robin,"
George Stevens
"What the Bird Sang,"
Frances MacBrayne
"The Transformation,"
Gordon McAllister
Easter Acrostic,
Miss Greene's Class
Anthem: "The Easter Bells Are Chiming,"
Senior Chorus
Recessional March.

GRACE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Morning 10.30
Organ voluntary, Prelude, Unfold Ye Portals ..... Gounod
Jerusalem ..... Nevin
Germania Ladies' Orchestra
Anthem, I Am He That Liveth, Fisher
Response, 'Tis Finished .....Buck
Anthem, Jesus Lives .....Berwald
Anthem, Madrigale .....Spionette
Orchestra
Anthem, The Story Is Told, from "The Story of the Cross" .....Buck
Postlude, Romaine .....Gounod

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Service at 10.30 a. m.
Organ prelude, March on Easter Themes .....Andrews
Chorus, God Has Sent His Angels Stewart
Why Seek Ye the Living Among the Dead? .....Stanford
Let the Heavens Be Joyful.....Fletcher
Organ postlude, Alleluia in E flat Lovet
William A. Liddell, Supt. S. S.; Mrs. Charles A. Goggin, leader of children.
Easter Exercises in Song and Story at 6.30 p. m.
Miss Doris J. Bartlett will sing, O Eyes That are Weary and Hearts That are Sore .....Schnecker
Solo by Mr. George S. Drew
Alexander Leggatt, musical director; Miss Ella L. Gale, organist; chorus choir, Miss Hazel Wirt, soprano.
Rev. William A. Bartlett, D. D., will preach, closing the series of special Sunday evening services conducted for the past 10 weeks.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Morning, 10.30
Anthem, Awake Thou That Sleepeth, Maker
Quartet, Consider the Lilies.....Topliff
Anthem, Why Seek Ye the Living Among the Dead? .....Brown
Communion service
Easter Concert, 6.30 p. m.
Baptism
Anthem, Christ is Risen.....Bracket
Quartet, Chime Ye Bells.....Walton
Quartet, Selected.
The concert will consist of recitations and exercises together with carols and special exercises by the primary department.
Mrs. Charles G. Martin, soprano; Mrs. H. R. Hanson, alto; Mr. Edward R. Wirt, tenor; Mr. Henry G. Hardy, bass; Mr. Frank B. Hill, organist and director.

GORHAM STREET METHODIST

Morning, 10.30
Prelude, Intermezzo in E, John H. Major
Anthem, Christ Is Risen, Carrie B. Adams
Choir
Invocation, Doxology, Psalm 24, Hymn 109. Prayer
Tenor solo, Calvary .....Rodney
Mr. Fred Potter
Lesson
Anthem, Christ Is Risen..E. L. Ashford
Choir
Announcements, Hymn 157.
Sermon
Alto solo, He Is Not Here for He Is Risen ..... Broomo
Mrs. Eva Stokes
Offertory, Faith (with violin), D. R. Munro
Gloria Patri, Benediction
Postlude, Processional March, E. Guirand
A fine program will be rendered at 6.30 p. m.

ELIOT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Morning, 10.30
Prelude, Fantasie ..... Dubois
Soprano solo, Fear Not Ye, O Israel, Dudley Buck
Miss Clara Sexton
Duet, Hosanna ..... Jules Grainier
Miss Clara Sexton and Mr. Albert Edmund Brown
Offertory, Intermezzo ..... Wely
Bass solo, Our Risen King..A. F. Loud
Mr. Albert Edmund Brown
Postlude ..... Stern
Soloists: Miss Clara Sexton, soprano, Boston Opera company; Mr. Albert Edmund Brown, baritone; organist, Mr. Clayton R. Kimball.

HIGH STREET CHURCH

Morning Worship, 10.30
Organ prelude, Grand Chorus..Dubois
Anthem, As It Began to Dawn, A. H. Ryder
Anthem, To the Paschal Victim, H. J. Stewart
Anthem, On Wings of Living Light, H. N. Bartlett
(With Violin Obligato)
Solo and quartet, The Buds Are Bursting on the Trees.....E. E. Adams
Anthem, God Has Appointed a Day, Tours
Violin solo, Meditation .....Massenet
Organ postlude, Triumphal March, Verdi
Choir: Edward Everett Adams, tenor and chorister; Miss Etta R. Thompson, soprano; Miss Rena J. Landers, contralto; John S. Moir, bass; Charles O. Allen, organist; Miss Helen P. Leonard, violinist.
Evening service at 7 p. m.

Dancing till 1, Asso., Monday eve.

LEON CHESTER THRASHER

AMERICAN MINING ENGINEER LOST WHEN GERMAN SUBMARINE SANK BRITISH LINER

LEON CHESTER THRASHER

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The state department has instructed Ambassador Page and Consul General Skinner at London, to make an investigation into the circumstances surrounding the death of Leon C. Thrasher, the American mining engineer, drowned when the German submarine sent the British liner Falaba to the bottom. The ambassador and consul general reported that they had been informed that Thresher had been drowned, but they said they had no official information. They do not know whether ample time was given for escape and Thresher was negligent, whether he was killed by the explosion caused by the torpedo or drowned while the vessel was sinking. Officials had little doubt that the case eventually would form the subject of representations to Germany. In its note, after Germany's war zone proclamation, the Washington government notified the German foreign office that it would feel compelled to hold that government to "strict accountability" for the loss of American lives or property through the operations of submarines against British merchant shipping.

GOOD FRIDAY SERMONS

STORY OF CHRIST'S PASSION TOLD AT CATHOLIC CHURCHES LAST EVENING

Large congregations attended the solemn Good Friday devotions at the various Catholic churches of the city yesterday. In the afternoon at 3 p. m. the stations of the cross were held, and in the evening the tenebrae service was sung, followed by a sermon on the passion and death of Christ. After the sermon a crucifix was laid within the sanctuary and the congregation drew near and, kneeling down, kissed it devoutly. At the Immaculate Conception church, a relic of the true cross was venerated after the devotions of the stations of the cross.

The passion sermon at the Immaculate Conception church was preached by Rev. James P. McCartin, O. M. I., who gave a most impressive picture of the events leading up to the tragedy of Calvary, and brought home the significance of the death of Christ. The sermon at St. Patrick's was preached by Rev. Fr. Callahan, at St. Peter's by Rev. Fr. Crayton, at the Sacred Heart by Rev. Charles Fallon, O. M. I. of Tewksbury novitiate, and at St. Margaret's by Rev. Fr. Reardon. Last evening's services brought the tenebrae devotions to a close, and the ritualistic mourning will end in the services of Easter which are characterized by joy and gladness.

This morning the ceremonies of the blessing of the new fire and the baptismal and Easter water were held, and everything is now in readiness for the elaborate Easter programs.

Mary, Thomas, Peter and the Others Were as Human as You Are: They Saw and heard the Risen Christ. Dr. Bartlett Tells the Story Sunday Night.

FIRE ON MT. HOPE ST.

The alarm from box 76 at 4.51 o'clock yesterday afternoon was for a brush fire off Mt. Hope street. A telephone alarm was received at 7.31 o'clock for a grass fire off Riverside street, which was extinguished by Hose 10.

Thomas C. Lee & Co. carried insurance on the property in the name of Charles D. Foley, 37 Newhall street, damaged by fire Thursday.

TELLS OF FLIGHT FROM KURDS

Wife of Missionary Was In Village Ravashed by Kurds

Mrs. Oster, With Month-Old Baby Rode Horse to Safety

RUTLAND, Vt., April 3.—The flight of a missionary family, including a four-weeks'-old baby, from the ravages of the Kurds in villages at Azerbijan, Persia, and some of the fighting between Russians and the native tribes in that country, are described in a letter just received here.

The writer, Mrs. Florence While Oster, a Seventh Day Adventist missionary, tells of the sacking and burning of the village of Meondoab and of the subsequent flight of Rev. Mr. Oster, herself and her child, from Maragha when the tribesmen threatened that place.

"Children were thrown into icy rivers and women were treated dreadfully during the sacking of Meondoab, according to the letter, which continues:

"We left Maragha by night with the Russian army of 8000 men retreating from Meondoab. I rode the horse with our four-weeks'-old baby, while Mr. Oster led him. That first night and day I kept the saddle for 14 hours without a rest.

"We fell off the horse once right in a small stream. A soldier helped us a bit. He thought baby was a bundle of something we did not wish so throw her over to one side of the road. Baby seemed to enjoy the ride and did not care how much she was jolted.

"We have been wonderfully cared for by God. The Kurds and Turks took this place also, but no murdering took place. Now the Russians have taken Tabriz and we feel quite safe again.

"Just six miles' from here 800 Kurds were killed, 500 taken prisoners and about 500 escaped. The ground was strewn with their bodies. Because of the defeat we fear they will take vengeance on Maragha. As yet the Russians are not strongly enforced enough to go down to Maragha. We do not know if they must wait until they get through fighting the Germans or not.

"We have seen more real suffering. Hundreds of refugees are fleeing through the snow barefoot. Many are dying from starvation.

"We are kindly cared for here by the Presbyterian missionaries from America. They have given us a room in the girls' school and we are boarding ourselves. We are not yet out of danger, for the Turks are stronger near the boundary, and with the Kurds to help, we surely have something to fear. About 10,000 Russians are here, but we do not know when they will be called away."

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TROLLEY MEN ASK INCREASE

New Contract Effective June 1, to Be Drawn Up

Worcester and Springfield Men Will Negotiate With Company

SPRINGFIELD, April 3.—After the expected adjustment of the grievances that caused the strike on the lines of the Springfield Street Railway system at the hearing in this city next Wednesday, before the state board of conciliation and arbitration, negotiations will be immediately started relative to a new contract between the Springfield and Worcester trolleymen and the company, to go into effect June 1.

It is proposed to ask for an increase in wages for the men in both cities and day pay for the Worcester trolleymen, who are now paid by the hour. Springfield employes are already on the day-pay basis.

A tentative draft of a contract will be submitted to the officials of the New England Investment and Securities company, controlling the Springfield and Worcester trolley properties, prior to May 1. The scale demanded will increase the minimum pay above $2.30 a day and the maximum above $2.85 a day. Trolleymen in Worcester now receive a minimum of 23 cents an hour and a maximum of 28 1-2 cents an hour, while in Springfield, on the basis of a nine hour day, 31 2-3 cents an hour is the maximum day.

In both cities, however, man must serve three years before he is entitled to receive the maximum wage. John H. Reardon of Worcester, member of the International executive board, remained in town until this afternoon when he left the city to attend scheduled meetings of Holyoke and Northampton union officials.

He said that the present agreement between the trolleymen and the New England Investment and Securities company was made June 1, 1912, for three years. According to a paragraph in the agreement, drawn at that time, all contemplated changes in contract must be put in definite form before May 1, and in view of this fact the union officials will begin to hold meetings regarding this phase of the question as early as April 15. It is known that changes are also desired in the arbitration agreement.

Money deposited today, April 3rd, in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank will bear interest from this date.

OUR DICTIONARY HELPS

MILITARY AND NAVAL TERMS OF-TEN PUZZLE—NEW DICTIONARY AIDS READING WAR REPORTS

Definitions of military and naval terms, grouped together under a single heading, is one of the special features of The New Universities Dictionary now being offered to readers of The Sun, contributing to the splendid success attending the distribution of the book. Nearly everybody nowadays is reading about the war, and not infrequently the reports from the other side contain some word or expression with which the average reader is unfamiliar.

The meaning of such terms can readily be had by turning to The New Universities Dictionary, as well as that of many expressions which have come into more common usage since the continent of Europe has become one vast battle ground and the high seas turned into a "danger zone" by the naval operations of the contending powers.

In all there are twenty-five of these supplementary dictionaries containing the definitions of hundreds of words brought into general and proper use not only by the war in Europe but by the forward steps in science, business, society, religion and the increasing popularity of sports of all kinds, which can be found in no dictionary other than the one The Sun is distributing among its readers at a nominal cost.

Coupons are being redeemed in large quantities, so enthusiastically has the offer been received, and it is evident that The New Universities Dictionary is finding its way into the business office as well as the home.

See the window display at The Sun office.

SUN FEATURES MONDAY

Latest Fashion News with Illustrations on Women's Page—Lady Lookabout and Other Contributors

The latest fashion news, pleasingly illustrated with pictures of the latest styles in gowns, will be found on the Women's Page of The Sun on Monday. The page will contain helpful reading matter that will interest all the women readers.

A fine recipe for removing grease from carpets will be found in "What the Cook Says," which article will also have various helpful kitchen hints.

Health and beauty hints, general matters of improving personal appearance, arrangement of the hair, new coiffeures, and other affairs of interest to the ladies, will be discussed in "What Hortense Told Me."

A home facial massage will be described "In Milady's Boudoir." "The French Maid" will tell how to renovate old gloves. "Naughty Spotty" will be a delightful story for the little readers of The Sun.

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THE WEATHER

Snow or rain tonight; Sunday clearing; northwest gales.

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VIOLATIONS OF THE CIVIL SERVICE LAWS REPORTED

Men on City Payrolls Not Eligible to Civil Service Positions—Registrar of Labor Explains

It was reported that some of the heads of the departments at city hall are violating civil service laws by having on their payrolls men who are not eligible to civil service positions.

Patrick J. Reynolds, registrar of labor at city hall, in conversation with a Sun reporter this morning, said a man who is illegally hired by a city department head takes chances of working without pay, for as soon as the civil service commission is made aware of the fact, a notice is sent to the head of the department and if the man is not discharged within one week

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BIG EASTER SNOWSTORM

Northeast Gale Sweeps Atlantic Seaboard From Florida to New England—Storm in Lowell

WASHINGTON, April 3.—A northeast gale swept the Atlantic seaboard today from Florida to New England. Rain fell over a considerable section of the east and snow over Middle Atlantic states with flurries extending up as far as the Maine coast. New York city was visited by snow and a 36 mile gale.

Off Sandy Hook the wind was blowing 52 miles an hour. At Delaware Breakwater, where the gale was highest this forenoon, its velocity reached 60 miles. The local weather bureau said that the storm center was approximately over Cape Hatteras and moving rapidly up the coast. Storm signals flew from Wilmington to Cape Cod.

With a falling barometer the weather bureau saw no let-up in the storm for today. The storm moved out from the Florida peninsula yesterday and traveled fast toward the northeastern tip of New England.

Along the New Jersey coast the tide was high. At the height of the gale a fire was discovered in a boarding house at Seabright and after spreading to adjoining buildings it threatened the entire town for a time. The flames were subdued by quick work.

WIRE CONDITIONS BAD

NEW YORK, April 3.—The wet snow played great havoc with the

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RIOT IN COLON

Story of Fight in Which Corporal Langdon Was Killed

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Brigadier General Edwards, commanding the troops in the Panama canal zone today reported that during a fight in Colon yesterday between American soldiers and Panama policemen in which Corporal Langdon of the coast artillery was killed and three soldiers were wounded the Panama police fired into a train of unarmed soldiers and civilians pelted the train with stones and rocks.

In his report, General Edwards said: "Cause of the riot was similar to that of recent trouble in Panama; excited police clubbing soldiers, protest from other soldiers, pistols drawn by police, shooting commenced.

"Coast artillery provost patrol was attempting to stop shooting by policemen when Langdon was killed by a police lieutenant. Three men of a patrol started to return fire on the police, when officers stopped the firing, preventing casualties. This was the only firing done by Americans. An excursion to a baseball game from the infantry post brought about 1000 soldiers to Cristobal. There was no trouble at game, where good spirit prevailed. Toward the close of the game trouble was reported to be in adjoining town of Colon. I immediately turned out one company of the first artillery under arms as provost guard, sent one officer and thirty noncommissioned officers to clear town and put soldiers aboard returning train as precautionary measure. I shortly followed to scene of riot. Provincial governor, chief of police and my aide already were at work quelling the disturbance, my aide urging governor and chief of police to hold back all civilians who were inciting further trouble while soldiers were entraining waiting to start back to post. Police fired into train containing unarmed soldiers, Private Delaughterty wounded at this point. Showers of rocks and other missils also were thrown into train by Panaman boys and negroes.

"On my demand the governor of Colon province has imprisoned the police lieutenant alleged to have killed Corporal Langdon; have ten witnesses who claim can positively identify him as man firing unprovoked fatal shot. One Panaman only hurt—receiving black eye.

"Langdon was shot through the heart. The wounded are James Delaughterty, H. Climp, Charles Richeson."

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CHALIFOUX'S

Nine prizes, Associate, Monday eve.

CURFEW IN PHILADELPHIA

PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—Children under the age of fifteen found on the streets after 11 o'clock at night will be taken to the house of detention by the police and kept over night. The next morning their parent will be called upon by Judge Gorman in juvenile court to explain the reason for their being on the streets.

An order from the superintendent of police to carry this curfew into effect is the result of a conference of officials with Judge Brown of the municipal court, of which the juvenile court is a branch.

"Most of our crime," said Director of Public Safety George D. Porter, "may be attributed to young men and women. Seventy-five per cent. of the acts against the law are committed by persons between the ages of fifteen and twenty-one. We are going to try to set the juvenile straight before he reaches the age of fifteen. That is the intent of the order."

DUG HIS OWN GRAVE

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., April 3.—Dwight E. Hewitt, an eccentric farmer of Weston, having a premonition of death, dug his own grave and ordered his tombstone a month ago.

When interment was attempted yesterday afternoon it was found that Mr. Hewitt had not counted on the size of the coffin case and the grave was eight inches too short. The only way the casket could be lowered in the grave was endwise. Burial was delayed two hours until grave diggers could be found.

AUSTRIA-HUNGARY TRYING TO STARVE MONTENEGRO

Would Cut Off Montenegro From Outside World—Gen. Joffre Says War Will Soon End—German Aeroplane Brought Down Near Rheims

LONDON, April 3.—The fluctuating struggle in the Carpathians seems to be nearing its decision, according to despatches reaching London. By successive rushes amid ice and snow Russian troops are said to have carried a series of Austrian lines and in the view of British observers, they bid fair soon to break through in force between the Lupkow and the Uzsok passes.

In the west, conditions bordering on stagnation prevail. The allies are keeping the Germans in the dark as to when and where the big thrust will come and in the meantime they are speculating as to whether the invaders of France will risk a serious offensive while the situation in the east remains precarious.

The British press in addition to being universally outraged that the Germans should protest to the American embassy regarding the segregation of the crews of submarines now held as prisoners of war, is making much of the death of Leon C. Thresher, the American who lost his life in the sinking of the Falaba. "What will Washington do?" asks today's Westminster Gazette. And other papers debate along the same lines.

As the weeks pass the operations in the Dardanelles appear likely to be more and more protracted; even the London papers are today inclined to admit that the Turkish positions perhaps have not yet been seriously damaged.

The discussion for and against absolute prohibition of the consumption of alcoholic liquors continues to rage. The papers are filled with letters containing suggestions to meet the situation. These vary from plans to prohibit the manufacture of spirits to the novel idea that employers distribute a limited number of liquor tickets to such of the workmen as will not abuse the privilege.

GOT GERMAN AEROPLANE

PARIS, April 3.—The war office made the following announcement this afternoon:

"In the regions of the Somme, La Boiselle and Dompierre, mining warfare continued with noticeable advantages for the French. The total number of prisoners taken at the forest of Le Petre, northwest of Pont-A-Mousson, March 30, to April 1, is more than 200, including six officers.

"A German aeroplane was brought down yesterday after dropping bombs on Rheims. When fired on it came to earth. The two aviators who were unhurt, were taken prisoners."

VERY HEAVY MAIL

LONDON, April 3.—The first morning mail to reach Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd George today brought about 15,000 letters, virtually all dealing with the question of abstinence from liquor drinking in England. This number indicates that the day's total of letters will be in excess of 25,000.

These communications were received by the chancellor in answer to the full page appeal appearing in the newspapers of yesterday urging citizens to write him in favor of absolute prohibition.

CONTROVERSY IN ATHENS

LONDON, April 3.—A controversy has arisen at Athens, according to the Times correspondent between Premier Gounaris and his predecessor in that office, M. Venizelos, regarding concessions the latter is alleged to have offered Bulgaria to induce that country to join the allies in the war. M. Gounaris has asserted that Bulgaria was promised by Greece the cession of districts surrounding Sarichaban, Drama and Kavala (in the extreme eastern portion of the territory obtained by Greece after the Balkan wars) but this is emphatically denied by M. Venizelos.

The former premier, who retired from office because he opposed a continuation of the policy of neutrality by Greece has had published a statement in which he declares he never proposed such concessions to Bulgaria but on the contrary always rejected the claims of that nation.

REPORT FROM BERLIN

BERLIN, April 3.—(By wireless to Sayville)—German army headquarters today gave out a report on the progress of hostilities reading as follows:

"The Belgian attempt yesterday to win back Klosterhoek, which the Germans occupied March 31, resulted in failure.

"A French charge in the forest of Le Pretre was not successful.

"A French attack on the heights south of Nieder Aspach, west of Muelhausen, was repulsed.

"Nothing of importance has occurred on the eastern front."

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WIFE-SEEKING RECTOR

OXFORD GRADUATE SEEKING SOUL-MATE RECOMMENDED BY PRINCESS AND BISHOP

NEW YORK, April 3.—Once more has Mayor Mitchel been called on to comfort a lonely heart. This one belongs to a church of England rector living in Barrie, Ont., who holds a degree from Oxford and who lists among those who vouch for him the bishop of Ontario and the Princess Frederica of Brunswick and Lunenburg.

Some days ago the clergyman wrote the mayor asking him to recommend a wife. His thought then was that if the mayor could not actually make a selection he could at least get letters from some young women of New York and send their proposals on to him. The mayor's secretary replied that this wasn't feasible, and suggested that the rector's desires be made known to the newspapers. Yesterday the following letter came:

"This is to thank you for kindly acceding to my request to aid me in finding a wife, and you may publish my want.

"I desire a well-bred, cultured woman, healthy, cheerful, preferably not over thirty years of age. For publication let me repeat that I am an Episcopalian minister, graduate of a leading university, healthy, vigorous and bright, artistic and practical, affectionate and very devoted where deserved.

"I send you credentials that will enable you to attest my position and social standing. Of course, all communications will be honorably treated by me as strictly confidential."

The clergyman's address is Box No. 791, Barrie, Ont.

The bishop of Ontario writes of the wife-seeker: "He is in good health, very active, full of pluck and energy. He could be designated as a manly man. He is about thirty years of age and has no ties."

Princess Frederica's letter was not forwarded to the mayor. Its existence was testified to, however, by W. L. Mackenzie King, head of the industrial relations inquiry of the Rockefeller Foundation.

SUBMARINE LAUNCHED

QUINCY, April 3.—After two unsuccessful attempts to launch the United States submarine L-4 the vessel was finally sent overboard at the yards of the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation today. The submarine was christened on Wednesday but after sliding half way to the water stuck on the waves. She was moved a few feet the following day but it was necessary to jack up the vessel and grease the ways again before she slipped into Fore river.

PAROCHIAL SCHOOL VACATIONS

The pupils of the various parochial schools will return to their studies next week after enjoying their annual Easter vacation, with the exception of those of the Immaculate Conception school, whose vacation will extend another week.

The Sacred Heart school will reopen Monday morning. St. Patrick's Wednesday morning. St. Michael's Tuesday morning, as will those of St. Joseph's college and convent and St. Louis' school.

COSTUME PARTY and CONCERT

By the Mathew Temperance Inst.

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Concert from 8 to 8.30. Grand march from 8.30 to 9. Nine prizes are offered for best features in this event. General dancing from 9 to 1.

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VERDICT IS SET ASIDE

JUDGE THOMAS SAYS VERDICT WAS CLEARLY AGAINST THE WEIGHT OF EVIDENCE

HARTFORD, April 3.—A decision was filed by Judge E. S. Thomas of the United States court today granting the motion of counsel for the defendants to set aside the jury verdict found for the plaintiff last June in the case of Mrs. Elizabeth Curtis (Brenton) Holman against Dr. Paul Waterman and Professor Cranston Brenton, her former husband. The verdict was for $4000 and was reached by the jury after one of the most sensational trials in the court history of Connecticut.

In the memorandum of the decision Judge Thomas says:

"The verdict in the case was so clearly against the weight of the evidence as to indicate that the jury did not correctly apply the law to the facts in evidence or were governed by ignorance, prejudice, corruption, or partiality and the verdicts are so inconsistent that I deem it my duty to set aside the verdict against Waterman and Brenton."

Mrs. Holman sued Dr. Waterman, Dr. Smith and her former husband, Prof. Brenton, then a professor at Trinity college, for $50,000 damages, charging conspiracy in incarcerating her in an insane asylum at Brattleboro, Vt. The plaintiff also charged that while at the Brattleboro retreat she was obliged under duress to write letters of so-called confession, on which Prof. Brenton obtained a divorce, naming Frederick E. Holman of Rockland, Me., as co-respondent. Mrs. Brenton was married to Mr. Holman the day after the decree was granted to Prof. Brenton.

POLL TAX CONSTITUTIONAL

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, April 3.—The Utah poll tax law was declared constitutional yesterday by the state supreme court, which held that the exemption of women from the tax did not make it a discrimination against men even though women vote in the state.

Pride in Appearance

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REFUSES USE OF CABLES FOR CONDUCT OF TRADE

Great Britain Makes Formal Announcement of Her New Cable Censorship Policy

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Secretary Bryan had before him today Great Britain's formal announcement of her new cable censorship policy. A memorandum on the subject had been transmitted to the state department through Ambassador Page at London. In it Great Britain serves notice of its intention to stop all messages sent over cables under British control relative to trade in contraband or non-contraband "to which a resident in an enemy country is one of the parties." In this connection, the communication points out that it is clear that in view of the great importance of restricting the enemy's supplies and withholding facilities from them for carrying on their trade "his majesty's government cannot be expected to afford the use of British cables to enable neutral and enemy countries to make arrangements with each other for the conduct of that trade."

BURNED LIGHTING A FIRE

NASHUA, April 3.—The second serious accident resulting from lighting a fire with kerosene within two days, occurred early this morning when Hubert Desmarais, aged 58 years, of 15 Jackson avenue, was severely burned. At present, he is lying in St. Joseph's hospital in a dying condition. Up to press time it was reported at the hospital that he had not gained consciousness.

PUT OUT GRASS FIRES

Today's storm quenched the many grass fires that have been smouldering in all parts of the city and have caused six or more alarms a day during the past five weeks. Not an alarm was sent in to the local department today.

HORSES FELL ON SLIPPERY STS.

This afternoon was a bad one for horses on account of the slippery condition of the streets. Assistant Agent Gilmore of the Lowell Humane society reports that between the hours of 1 and 3 five horses slipped and fell on the pavement, but fortunately with no serious result. The last horse to fall was on Gorham street near the postoffice, after it had slipped on the car tracks.

GEO. S. COLE FOUND DEAD

ANDOVER, April 3.—George Stafford Cole, the oldest deputy sheriff in Essex county, serving in that capacity for the past 40 years, and formerly a prominent contractor of the town of Andover, father of Hon. John N. Cole of that town, was found dead in bed at his home, 18 Chestnut street, Andover, yesterday morning. Heart trouble is believed to have caused his sudden death.

DROP IN CRUDE OIL

PITTSBURGH, April 3.—A third reduction in the price of crude oil within two weeks was announced today at the opening of the market by the principal purchasing agencies.

COMMR. MORSE NERVOUS

DREADS HAVING TO SPEND HIS APPROPRIATION IN CLEARING ANOTHER SNOW STORM

As the drifting snow storm settled down upon the city this afternoon Commissioner Morse began to get a little nervous over the prospect of having to part with another slice of his appropriation for something that was not down on the program nor even in the mayor's budget.

"I tell you," said Charlie, "it's pretty tough. I will have to get the snowplows ready to keep the streets open and set a gang of men to work on the crossings right away."

"When the farmers were panting for rain, this snow came just to annoy them and it gives me a whack also at a time when I was trying to get the streets cleaned up for the spring.

"I'm willing to wager that if I send out a gang of men to shovel up the snow and cart it to the Concord river, that storm will stop right away.

"That's the way the weather man keeps fooling this department."

ARRESTED WALKING ON TRACKS

Charged with trespassing upon the property of the Boston & Maine railroad, Octave Richards, aged 77 years, and Peter J. Richards, aged 30 years, father and son, were arrested this afternoon and taken to the local police station. Peter J. Richards is also charged with assault upon an officer.

The two men were walking the railroad tracks near the bleachery.

Character party, Asso., Monday eve.

SIX STEAMSHIPS DETAINED

NEW YORK, April 3.—Six steamships due to leave today have been detained at their piers with passengers aboard awaiting an abatement in the storm. The steamships Lusitania and New York for Liverpool, Duca Aosta for Naples, Brazos for San Juan, Calamares and Saratoga for Havana and Creole for New Orleans were the steamers held.

The arrivals for the day were light.

Mrs. Alice C. Mahoney of Cambridge announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Catherine Mahoney, to John J. Cole of Somerville, formerly of Lowell.

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The house contains eight large rooms, has gas and town water and is in very good repair. The lot is of good area and dimension, giving an excellent chance for any one to keep a large number of poultry, as the accommodations are already on the premises.

The location is very good, handy to the electric cars, the different churches and within easy walking distance of the high schools, town hall and the centre of the village. The property is also within close proximity of the numerous shops and factories that make North Chelmsford an extremely busy village.

Now here is a splendid opportunity for any one to purchase a home in one of the finest districts of Chelmsford, seldom given, a chance to buy at an absolute public auction sale.

If you are thinking of buying this spring and wish to be in a village, be sure to attend this sale, as the property will be sold to whomsoever will bid the most for it.

Terms—$150 must be paid to the auctioneer just as soon as the property is struck off. Other terms at sale.

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GREAT EASTER FESTIVAL

Fine Musical Programs Prepared for Tomorrow's Services in the Local Churches

The Easter festival will be observed in all the churches of Lowell tomorrow with special musical services, sermons on the Resurrection and general rejoicing in the work of the redemption. The programs in most of the churches are given below.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH

Solemn High Mass, 11 A. M.
Processional—Jesus Christ is Risen Today ..... Arundel
Sanctuary Choir
Vidi Aquam ..... W. A. Newland
Church Choir
Introit—Resurrexi ..... Falkenstein
Sanctuary Choir
Mass of St. Cecilia ..... Gounod
Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnus Dei
Church Choir
Gradual—Haec Dies ..... Rosewig
Sequence—Victimae Paschali .... Tozer
James King, Tenor Soloist
Offertory—Terra Tremuit ..... Tozer
Sanctuary Choir
Motett—"Alleluia ..... Weignad
Church Choir
Communion—Pascha Nostrum, Falkenstein
Recessional—Easter ..... Arundel
Sanctuary Choir

Responses by sanctuary choir of 30 voices. Brother Nilus, director. Church quartet: Miss Alice Murphy, soprano; Mrs. James Morris, contralto; Mr. John McNabb, tenor; Mr. Andrew A. McCarthy, baritone, assisted by Miss Teresa Slattery, Miss Margaret O'Donoghue, sopranos; Mr. John Keegan, tenor; Mr. D. S. O'Brien, baritone; a chorus of 30 voices, and Mr. M. J. Johnson at the organ.

Solemn Vespers, 7 p. m.
Processional—Jesus Christ is Risen Today ..... Arundel
Psalms and antiphons of the feast sung antiphonally by church and sanctuary choirs.
Antiphon of the Feast—Haec Dies, Lambillotte
Church Choir
Magnificat ..... Plain Chant
Antiphon of the Season—Regina Coeli, Rosewig
Sanctuary Choir
O Salutaris ..... Rossini
Andrew A. McCarthy
Tantum Ergo ..... Sewell
Church Choir
Laudate Dominum ..... Plain Chant
Recessional—The Lamb's High Feast, Arundel
Sanctuary Choir

The girls' choir under the direction of Sisters of Notre Dame, will sing Easter hymns at the 8.30 mass. At the offertory Miss Kathleen Jennings will sing Millard's "Ave Verum." Organist John J. Kelty.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH

Solemn High Mass at 11 a. m.

The choir will sing Gounod's mass of the Sacred Heart, and will be assisted by Miss Mary Whitely, soprano, Miss Vera McArdel, contralto; Mr. Lawrence Delany, tenor, and Mr. James Donnelly, baritone; Mr. Joseph Egan, cantor; Miss Caroline White, organist.

Solemn vespers at 7 p. m., with an appropriate musical program.

At the 9 o'clock mass Miss Gertrude Kelcher will sing an O Salutaris by Faure.

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH

Solemn mass at 10.45 a. m. Vespers at 7 p. m.

The musical program will be the "Messe Solonnelle," of Gounod, by the church choir, and some 16th century Motets by the Chancel choir.

The vesper service will be sung by the quartet and chancel choir, the psalms by Leitner in the Falsobordono style of church music.

The music will be under the direction of Mr. James A. Murphy, and will be sung by the quartet and chorus choir of the church, and a chancel choir (vested) of 50 voices, men and boys. (a capella).

The soloists will be: Mrs. James A. Murphy, soprano; Miss Margaret Griffin, contralto; Mr. James A. Murphy, tenor; Mr. Thomas F. Boulger, bass; Miss Ella M. Reilly, organist.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Solemn High Mass, 11 a. m.
Organ prelude, Festive March J. L. Erb, Op. 25
Processional hymn, The Resurrection of Jesus ..... Mazzinger
Vidi Aquam ..... Gregorian
Introit, "Resurrexi" ..... Gregorian
Sanctuary Choir.
Messe Solennelle, Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus ..... Gounod
(St. Cecilia) Benedictus Agnus Dei
Church Choir
Graduale, "Haec Dies" .... Gregorian
Sanctuary Choir.
Veni Creator ..... Handel
Edward McNulty
Offertory, "Alleluia" ..... Berge
Church choir
Communion, Regina Coeli .... Novello
Recessional hymn, Alleluia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise ..... Mazzinger
Sanctuary Choir.
Postlude, "Unfold, Ye Portals.. Gounod
(from the Redemption)
Church choir
Organ, Gloria ..... Hayden

Soloists in mass: Mrs. Mary Monroe Mooney, soprano; Miss Bessie Finnigan, contralto; Mr. John McMahon, tenor; Mr. George Kirwin, bass.

Vesper Service, 6.30 p. m.
Organ prelude (a) Intermezzo J. S. Camp Op. 3
(b) Andantino E. Lemare
(c) Triumphal March A. M. Shuey
Processional hymn, The Resurrection of Jesus ..... Mazzinger
Regina Coeli ..... Novello
Sanctuary Choir.
"Alleluia" ..... Berge
Church choir
Soloists: Mrs. Mooney, Miss Finnigan, John McMahon, George Kirwin.
Trio, "Ave Verum ..... Mercadante
Mrs. Mooney, John McMahon, George Kerwin
Tantum Ergo ..... Kretlier
Church choir
Adoramus Te Aternum ..... Gregorian
Laudate Dominum ..... Gregorian
Recessional hymn, Alleluia! Let the Holy Anthem Rise ..... Mazzinger
Sanctuary choir
Postlude, Unfold, Ye Portals.. Gounod
(from The Redemption)
Church choir
Organ, Fanfra March ..... R. Diggle
Church choir of 50 voices, assisted by sanctuary choir of 65 voices, organist and director John J. Kelty.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Solemn High Mass at 11 a. m.
Processional, Oh Wonderful Easter Morning
Sanctuary choir.
Vidi Aquam ..... Witzka
Church choir.
Introit, Resurrexi ..... Tozer
Quartet
Mass ..... Kalliwoda
Church choir
Graduale, Haec Dies ..... Tozer
Quartet
Offertory, Terra Tremuit ..... Tozer
Quartet
Motet, Victimae Paschali .... Bordonel
Church choir
Communion, Pascha Nostra ..... Tozer
Quartet
Recessional, Angel Clad in Snowy White
Sanctuary choir
Master John O'Brien, soloist.

Vespers at 6.30 p. m.
Sanctuary choir

A chorus of 60 voices and the following soloists: Mrs. F. P. McCartin, Miss Kittie McCartin, sopranos; Miss Katherine McCaffery, Miss Mary Mack, altos Mr. John Dalton, Mr. George F. Lynch, tenors; Mr. Walter Mack, Mr William Gookin and Mr D P Martin, basses. Mrs. H. F. Walker, organist; Joseph P. Courtney, director.

ST. MARGARET'S

High Mass, 10.45 A. M.
Organ prelude—Alleluia ..... Rockwell
Vidi Aquam ..... Gregorian
Kyrie—Mass in F ..... Rosewig
Gloria—Mass in F ..... Rosewig
Credo—Mass in F ..... Rosewig
Offertory—Ave Maria ... Chas. Gounod
Miss Katherine V. Hennessy
Sanctus ..... Rosewig
Benedictus ..... Rosewig
Agnus Dei ..... Rosewig
Organ Postlude—Triumphal March, Verdi

Masses at St. Margaret's on Easter at 6, 7.30, 9 and 10.15 o'clock.

Vesper Program, 7.30 P. M.

The solos in the mass and at vespers will be sustained by Miss Katherine V. Hennessy, soprano; Miss Etta M. Hennessy, contralto; Mr. Cornelius F. Cainan, tenor; Mr. Frank P. McCarthy, basso; assisted by Miss Vera Moody, Miss Mabel Haggerty, Mr. William J. Burns, Mr. Henry Driscoll and an augmented chorus. John F. McGilnchey, organist and director.

NOTRE DAME DE LOURDES

10.30 a. m.
Vidi Aquam ..... Gregorian
Int. Resurrexi ..... Gregorian
Kyrie, Sacred Heart ..... C. Gounod
Gloria, Sacred Heart ..... C. Gounod
Graduale, Haec Dies ..... Gregorian
Alleluia ..... Gregorian
Sermon
Credo, Sacred Heart ..... C. Gounod
Offertory
Hosanna ..... Jules Granier
Tenor solo, Edward Gaudette
O Jesu me,
Quartet: Miss Irene Parthenais, soprano; Mrs. Cora Provencher, alto; Mr. Edward Gaudette, tenor; Mr. H. A. Racicot, basso.
Soprano solo and duet with tenor, Miss J. Parthenais and Edw. Gaudette.
O Jesu Me,
Grand chorus
Sanctus, Sacred Heart ..... C. Gounod
Angus, Sacred Heart ..... C. Gounod
Communion, Pascha N. ..... Gregorian

Vespers 6.30 p. m.

ST. JOSEPH'S

Solemn High Mass at 10.30 a. m.
Processional—O Filii et Filiae,
Organ ..... Edouard Batiste
Vidi Aquam ..... Gregorian
Introit, Resurrexi ..... Gregorian
Kyrie ..... Gounod
Gloria ..... Gounod
Offertory:
Haec Dies ..... F. Labadie
Credo ..... Kalliwoda
Soloist, Achille Lavallee.
Sanctus ..... Gounod
Benedictus ..... Gounod
Soloists—Eveline Benoit, Alice Bonin, Stella Latour, Eva Lussier, E. J. Larochelle, Telesphore Malo, Ernest J. Dupont, Alfred Ducharme.
Agnus Dei ..... Gounod
Recessional—Marche de Pagres, G. Melkel

Solemn Vespers at 6.30 p. m.
Processional—Andante Cantabile, Organ Charles M. Widor
Psalms ..... Gregorian
Organ
Recessional—Grand Chorus .. J. Grison
Organ
Telesphore Malo, director; Mrs. J. A. Bernard, organist.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

There will be special music at all services of St. Andrew's church, North Billerica Easter Sunday, and the following numbers will be given:

High mass 10 a. m., Rev. David J. Murphy, pastor.
Prelude ..... Le Blanc
Chanson Matinale ..... Becker
Organ
Mass of the Good Shepherd Rev. J. E. Turner, O. S. B.
(Kyrie, Gloria, Credo and Sanctus)
Agnus Dei ..... Hummel
Offertory, O Filii et Filiae ..... Bach
Miss Theresa Kirby
Postlude ..... Mozart
Organ
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament 3 p. m.
O Salutaris ..... Rosewig
Mr. Charles E. Fairbrother
Regina Coeli ..... Hamma
Tantum Ergo ..... Rossaire
Choir
Adoramus, Laudate Dominum, VIII Tone,
Choir
Soloists, soprano, Miss Theresa Kirby; alto, Mrs. Henry O'Brien; tenor, Charles E. Fairbrother; bass, John T. Fairbrother. Organist, Miss Marietta Hoar.

ST. JOHN'S, NO. CHELMSFORD

Processional.
Prayer from Der Freischutz .... Weber
Voluntary ..... Batiman
Vidi Aquam ..... Gregorian
Graduale.
Regali Ex Progenie ..... Witzka
Kyrie ..... St. John
Introit ..... St. John
Gloria ..... St. John
Credo ..... St. John
Offertory ..... St. John
Ave Maria ..... Rosewig
Mr. Henry Driscoll.
Sanctus ..... Guardian Angels
Benedictus ..... Guardian Angels
Agnus Dei ..... Guardian Angels
Communion.
Regina Coeli ..... Beethoven
Soprano solo, Clara McCoy
Recessional:
Today He's Risen.
Soloists Clara McCoy, soprano; Mary McCoy, alto; Henry Driscoll, baritone, John Green and John McQuade, bass. Gertrude M. Quigley, organist.

ST. ANNE'S CHURCH

Service 10.30.
Music by the regular male choir.
Prelude, Meditation, Carolus Duran.

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BY GWEN SEARS

ATTRACTIVE INVALIDS

Milady Convalescent has not the slightest ambition of her former self, to be sure, but she is bound to take at least a trifling interest in her appearance as she grows stronger each day in her lounging chair.

At first she is, perhaps, rather loath to look in the mirror, and she frowns at herself as she does so. It is quite natural that she should have lost some of her vivacity and glorious appeal, while confined to the stiffness of her sick room.

Milady Convalescent is bound to frown, first at her hair, which has been slightly neglected by the nurse who was anxious only for her recovery. A shampoo should be given as soon as the patient is able to stand the exertion.

As an occupation for your fingers while getting well, put your nails into shape, when you are tired of reading. It is wonderful what two weeks of solicitious care will do for nails that are not subjected to any hostile influence, such as cold, dirt and dishwashing or dusting.

The complexion should be treated every day to a cold cream, and milady will soon take up her hand mirror with an air of confidence in her restored beauty.

A lacy boudoir cap and soft negligee does so much toward making her look attractive in the weary, but hopeful, days of getting strong.

GERMAN RAIDER

Weather Conditions Are Favorable for a Bold Dash to Sea

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Screened from her enemies by a howling gale that drove a blinding snowstorm over the Virginia capes, the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich today had her first real opportunity to dash to sea since she took refuge in the neutral waters of Hampton Roads three weeks ago, although it still remained uncertain whether she would accept the opportunity or intern.

Moreover, a curtain was drawn between the outside world and the theatre of possible operations, for the storm which swirled from Hatteras northward had ripped down telephone and telegraph wires until early today Newport News, Norfolk, the Virginia capes and the surrounding country were entirely cut off from communication except by wireless, which was entirely in the hands of the navy department. And in the interest of American neutrality the navy department drew the curtain tight.

Coaled, provisioned and repaired, the Prinz Eitel has been lying at her wharf—a day to day mystery—leaving unanswered the question of whether Capt. Thierichens would finally elect to intern his ship and men for the war or attempt a dash through the fan of allied cruisers which have hovered outside the three mile limit beyond the capes.

The chance of an unarmored ship breaking through that cordon was regarded as so small by naval officers that it had been the almost general opinion that the Eitel would be interned when the last moment of her time had expired. But such a storm as today's makes every lane out to sea a comparatively safe route and many admirers of the German commander recalling his daring exploits in seven months of sea roving before he came to Newport News would not be surprised if he accepted the opportunity the elements afforded.

It is the belief in marine circles that the limit of the Eitel's stay under the neutrality regulations does not expire for some days but on the other hand there is nothing to prevent the German commander dashing to sea at any opportunity in the meantime.

Secretary Daniels used the navy wireless to learn the latest developments in connection with the Eitel. He sent messages through the high-powered Arlington station to Rear-Admiral Beatty, commandant of the Norfolk navy yard, and to Rear-Admiral Helm, aboard the Atlantic reserve fleet flagship, the Alabama, which is standing guard in Hampton Roads.

PERSONALS

Cyrus W. Russell has returned from a pleasant stay at Pinehurst, N. C.

George R. Smith was appointed organist of St. John's church to succeed Clayton R. Kimball, resigned.

Mr. Joseph Cameron of Quebec, Canada, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Francis Langlois, 260 Perkins street.

Thomas Rossabon of Lawrence street is home on his Easter vacation from Villa Nova academy. He will return next Wednesday.

Congressman Rogers spoke before the Get-Together club of the Y. M. C. A. last evening on the subject, "Current Events in Washington."

Mrs. Richard Carmen was tendered a birthday party at her home, 162 Central street, last evening. Best wishes were extended and a pleasant evening was spent.

Miss Florence Desrosiers of 112 Connell street has been awarded the $25 prize in the efficiency contest recently conducted by the Sperry & Hutchinson company, of Boston.

Miss Vivian M. Cowen has accepted the position of contralto singer at the Unitarian church at Leominster. She was formerly connected with the First Baptist church of this city.

Harry Freeman, the well known clothing salesman, will be pleased to meet his many friends at Frankel Goodman's Cloak & Suit store in the old Boston & Maine building, next door to the Owl theatre.

Master William N. Lancaster of 106 Chapel street has just passed his seventh birthday. The event was signalized by a birthday party at which he received many presents, including a fine upright piano from his grandmother, Mrs. Holmes.

Supt. F. B. Dyer of Boston will give an address before the Lowell Teachers organization next Tuesday at the high school hall. His subject will be "The Changing Characteristics of Childhood From Four to Eighteen." A cordial invitation is being extended the parents and all interested to attend the lecture.

Clement Bairstow, manager of the Atlantic & Pacific store in Merrimack street, has received a letter from his brother, Hubert, a large livery proprietor in Bradford, England, who states that his business has been crippled by the war. Mr. Bairstow writes that at the start of the war 30 of his finest horses were seized by the government, and he has been unable to replace them, although he was amply reimbursed by the government.

A very enjoyable miscellaneous shower was held recently at the home of Miss Mae Bradley in honor of Miss Elizabeth McNally who is to become the bride of Wire Inspector William Mahan on April 14. The following musical program was carried out: Piano selections, Misses Frances Clayton and Anna Hart; character impersonations, Josephine O'Brien; whistling solos, Mae Bradley; vocal selections, Misses Elizabeth McNally, Josephine Lynch, Etta McPherson, Della Green and Sadie Bainbrick. Refreshments were served, after which the party broke up all wishing the bride happiness in her future life.

EMINENT VIOLINIST DEAD

LEWISTON, Me., April 3.—Franklin Holding, of this city, aged 29 years, an eminent violinist, died suddenly of acute Bright's disease this morning in Providence, R. I. Mr. Holding was on the world's tour with Nordica during which her death occurred. Recently he had contracted with Alice Nielsen for a five months' concert tour of the south and west.

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THE DEATH OF SUTPHEN

INQUEST SHOWS THE B. & M. RAILROAD WAS NOT TO BLAME FOR THE FATALITY

Associate Justice Frederick N. Chandler of Lawrence yesterday gave out a finding on the inquest held recently on the death of George Sutphen, 55, a woodchopper who lived in a hut near Lowell Junction and who met his death by being run over by a Boston & Maine train on the tracks between Lowell Junction and Ballardvale in January. After reviewing the evidence, Judge Chandler said: "I find that Stephen Sutphen met his death by being run over by a theatre train of the Boston & Maine railroad, and from the extent of his injuries, that he must have been instantly killed. I find that whatever blame attaches to anyone for his death was his own."

BIG WINDOW SMASHED

WOMAN FELL AGAINST WINDOW IN NELSON'S STORE AFTER COLLIDING WITH MAN

A peculiar accident occurred at the corner of Central and Middle streets shortly before 11 o'clock this forenoon when a man and woman collided on the sidewalk in turning the corner and hence a large plate glass window in Nelson's department store was smashed.

According to witnesses, as a man hurried down Middle street and was about to turn into Central, he collided with a woman who was walking slowly toward him and evidently gazing into the store windows. The force with which the man bumped the woman knocked her off her feet and she struck against the corner plate glass window, smashing the lower part of it and cracking the entire window. The woman who fell against the window did not sustain the slightest injury, it is said, while the man also missed the flying glass.

The peculiarity of the accident caused a large crowd to gather around the window and it was necessary to station a clerk on the sidewalk to keep persons from standing too near the windows as it was feared the rest of the glass would fall in. The window damaged was nine feet high and six feet wide and the glass was three-sixteenths of an inch thick.

MOTHER RESCUES SON

BOSTON, April 3—Nelson Delamine, 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Delamine of 30 Kempt road, West Roxbury, was rescued by his mother at 7.30 last night when their home was destroyed by fire.

The boy was asleep in a bedroom when the fire was discovered by Mrs. Delamine while she was sitting with her husband in the kitchen of their home, a one and one-half story bungalow. The mother smelled smoke, and on opening the bedroom door was met by a rush of smoke and flames. She rushed into the room, grabbed up the sleeping boy and carried him outside.

Mr. Delamine tried to save some of the furniture, but was forced to leave the house because of the rapid headway of the flames, and nothing was saved but the clothes the members of the family wore at the time, the boy being clad only in his pajamas.

The fire brought out apparatus from the West Roxbury and Dedham departments, box 547 of the Boston department and box 521 of the Dedham department, which are located on the same post, being sounded. The fire started in a closet in the bedroom, but the cause is unknown.

The damage is estimated at $1150, of which $850 was to the house.

PAINTINGS DESTROYED

NEWTON, April 3.—Paintings estimated to be worth several thousands dollars were destroyed last evening, when the one-story concrete bungalow of Giovanni Trocolli, at 18 Moreland avenue, Newton Centre, was gutted by fire.

Mr. Trocolli, who is a maker of elaborate frames for portraits, as well as a painter, lives alone. Almost simultaneous with his return to the bungalow and his discovery of the fire, neighbors also perceived it.

In response to an alarm from box 731 the fire apparatus arrived only in time to find the structure a mass of flames.

HIGHLAND CLUB ELECTION

The annual meeting of the Highland club for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year will be held next Tuesday at the clubhouse on Princeton street and it is expected that a large majority of the members will be in attendance.

The officers to be elected are a president, vice president, treasurer, secretary and seven directors. Preceding the business meeting a dinner will be served at 6.30 o'clock to the members.

MARRIAGE INTENTIONS

The following marriage intentions have been filed at the city clerk's office since the last yere published:

Patrick Joseph Bulger (widowed), Boston, 35, printer; Jennie Isabelle McAleer, 33 Chestnut, 32, at home.

George A. Crawford, 21 Smith avenue, 28, fire department; Catherine A. Kivlan, 24 Apple, 26, pattern setter.

Joseph A. Lawler, 712 Suffolk, 22, laborer; Marcella T. Darsey, 468 Suffolk, 21, hosiery.

Harry W. Hall, 13 Cottage, 24, clerk; Mae F. Terry, Cambridge, 23, clerk.

Manuel G. daSilva, 10 Hall, 26, operative; Maria F. Sardinha, 58 Charles, 18, operative.

Jeremiah F. Donovan, 1088 Middlesex, 24, baker; Maria R. Gauthier, 19 Lincoln, 20, hosiery.

Harry Bubasias, 29, Jefferson, Wareny Handely, 29 Jefferson, 25, weaver.

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17732	The Little House Upon the Hill / When My Ship Comes In	Reed and Harrison / Campbell and Burr
35436	Illusion Valse Hesitation / The Only Girl—Waltz Hesitation	Victor Military Band / Victor Military Band
60133	The Grey Dove (From "Chin Chin")	Margaret Romaine
74422	'Mong the Green Irish Hills	Emilio de Gogorza
88514	Requiem Mass—Ingemisco (Sadly Groaning)	Enrico Caruso
89072	Alla Capanna Andiamo (We'll Go and Seek)	Geraldine Farrar and Louise Homer

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THE DYESTUFF CRISIS

DYE MEN TO SEND ENVOYS TO BRYAN—METZ SUGGESTS INDUSTRIAL WAR ON ENGLAND

PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—Appointment of a committee to place at once before the state department at Washington "the acute crisis in the dyestuff industry at present confronting this country and urge in strongest terms that such steps be taken as shall relieve the situation," was decided at a conference of dye men held here yesterday under the auspices of the directors and advisory board of the National Association of Hosiery and Underwear manufacturers.

Charles E. Leippe of Reading, president of the association; Congressman Herman A. Metz of New York, and D. F. Waters, president of the Master Dyers' association, were appointed members of the committee, which was also empowered to act in conjunction with individuals, officers and committees of other similar organizations throughout the country.

Several speakers at the conference said that the supply of dyestuffs now in the United States would last only about two months.

American manufacturers were urged to take immediate concerted action to obtain a modification of Great Britain's rules governing oversea commerce to neutral countries by Representative Metz, who addressed the conference. Unless the British government changes its policy, Mr. Metz declared, hundreds of factories throughout the United States must suspend operations and about 300,000 men will be thrown out of employment.

"The state department is doing all it can to cope with the situation," said Representative Metz, "but it is compelled to respect international law. The manufacturers of this country will have to take the matter out of the hands of the state department and handle it themselves by declaring an industrial war on England.

"They will have to tell England that unless she assumes a more reasonable attitude she will be deprived of cotton, ammunition and other things she has been buying from American sources in great quantities."

Mary, Thomas, Peter and the Others Were as Human as You Are: They Saw and heard the Risen Christ. Dr. Bartlett Tells the Story Sunday Night.

FIGHT FIRE AT HOSPITAL

NEW YORK, April 3.—Two barrels, containing wood and coal, in the rear yard of the Red Cross hospital, One Hundredth street and Central Park West, caught fire at 7.40 o'clock Thursday night and were sending up clouds of smoke before the flames were discovered.

The telephone operator, Miss May Sheehan, sent in a still alarm of fire and the nurses and doctors formed a bucket brigade and attacked the blaze. In a cellar within twenty feet of the blazing barrels were stored several cases of explosive chemicals. The doctors and nurses kept the fire in check until the arrival of the engines. The firemen quickly disposed of the fire.

There are fifty patients in the hospital. Few of them knew there was a fire and there was no panic.

PRICE OF COAL DROPS

The price of coal for domestic uses has dropped 25 cents a ton in this city this month and hence this is a good time to fill the coal bins for next season. The prices quoted by local dealers now are: Stove and egg coal, $7.75; No. 1 nut, $5.00; No. 2 nut, $6.75; Lehigh, $8.25.

ANYBODY HAVING KITCHEN range or gas dome, fairly good condition, for sale, apply M 39, Sun Office.

THE BIG FIGHT

Referee of the Johnson-Willard Fight Arrives in Havana

HAVANA, Cuba, April 3.—Jack Welsh, who will referee the fight Monday between Jack Johnson and Jess Willard for the world's heavyweight championship landed in Havana early today.

No sooner was the referee ashore than he started upon a series of conferences with the fight promoters. Having by this means secured interpretations of the rules from each side, the referee will present his own system for refereeing the fight. It is probable he will call a conference for Sunday for final explanations and ratifications.

Weather conditions today were the best for training purposes that have prevailed for a week. It was clear and cool and both Johnson and Willard were on the road early for their final runs, sprinting occasionally with a mile or so of steady running. Tomorrow and Monday the men will do little more than trot and walk. Both plan a heavy exhibition schedule this afternoon before the half holiday crowds. A feature of Johnson's work will be a six round bout with Sam McVey. The promoters have given up their idea of trying to stop the champion from doing this for fear of possible injury to himself. They have cautioned him, however, to go easy and have been given a promise to that effect.

The line formed in front of the ticket windows this morning before the box office opened. Many of the late arrivals who made no seat reservations before coming to Havana are surprised at the demand for tickets. They complain that many of the best seats already have been sold; they expect to get ringside seats as late as Saturday.

There has been little change in the betting situation. Johnson money is plentiful but bettors on the negro are unwilling to give odds.

Today is "Quarter Day" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank.

THE RICHMOND STOPPED

NEW YORK, April 3.—When the Clyde Line steamer Richmond passed Staten Island yesterday afternoon, for Wilmington, N. C., and Georgetown, S. C., the torpedo boat destroyer McDougal, anchored on neutrality duty, hoisted the international code signal T. N. B. "Stop instantly." This was because the Richmond had not shown the identification signal assigned to her when her papers were issued at the custom house.

Capt. Borum of the Richmond kept right on, however, and Lieut. Commander Leigh C. Palmer of the McDougal, then fired a shot, which brought the Richmond to.

The Navy Yard tug Narkita, with an officer from the McDougal on board, went to the Richmond and boarded her in the Narrows.

The officer asked Capt. Borum why he had not displayed signals.

Capt. Borum apologized and said he did not know, until the shot was fired, that he had been ordered to stop. In a quarter of an hour the Richmond, her papers being found all right, was allowed to proceed.

EVERYTHING IS LOVELY

VANCOUVER, B. C., April 3.—T. V. O'Connor, president of the International Longshoremen's union, who came here recently to settle a strike of Vancouver's longshoremen announced last night that the disagreement between the local union and the steamship companies had been satisfactorily explained.

IN POLICE COURT

Billerica Man Fined for Starting FiresWithout Permit

Last Tuesday afternoon Valentine O. Martin set a series of fires upon his own farm in Billerica. Shortly afterwards the forest warden, Ernest N. Bartlett, hove in view, but this in no wise affected the plans of Martin. The warden was told what he could do, etc., etc., and the fires burned merrily on. This morning Martin appeared before Judge Enright in the local police court.

He was charged with setting fires without a permit and through his attorney, Frank Goldman, denied his guilt. The trial was the main topic of interest in police court circles today.

Melvin Rogers, Esq., appeared for the prosecution and called the town clerk, Herbert A. King, to the witness stand. The clerk then read the minutes of the town meeting at which the statute in question was passed. He was sharply cross-examined by the opposing attorney.

The forest warden then advanced to the front and was sworn in as a witness. He stated that he called upon the defendant and told him not to burn up his brush. He said he refused to issue a permit to the defendant on account of the dry weather.

On cross-examination the warden said that Martin was well protected against the spread of the fire and that he had several sprinklers and seven men on hand in case the fire attempted to encroach on the land of his neighbors.

Mr. Goldman then asked the witness if he knew of any other fires that had been set and he said he did. Bartlett was cross-examined at some length. He said that there were no less than seven brush fires in activity when he arrived upon the scene.

The lawyer for the defence then brought up a point of law relative to the fact that amendment and previous law did not coincide in that both had not been accepted by the town by vote. After some discussion his point was overruled by the court.

The defendant stated that he had tried to get a permit to burn off the refuse from his farm of more than 100 acres and that it had been refused him. He said that he was a Russian and that every day he saw his neighbors who were not foreigners burning off their land.

Defendant said that he owned a large pine grove and wished to get it in readiness to let out for picnics this summer. It was for this reason that he started the fires, he said. He also said that he had helped put out fires which were started by his neighbors and broke away from their control.

The attorney for the defence in his summing up charged that his client had been discriminated against on account of his foreign birth and that he thought that the others who have been setting fires in Billerica should be brought into court as well as Martin. Judge Enright found the defendant guilty and ordered him to pay a fine of $15.

Arthur G. Farmer pleaded not guilty to recklessly driving an automobile and also to operating a machine without a license. His case was continued for one week.

LATE WAR NEWS

Continued

TO STARVE MONTENEGRO

ROME, April 3.—Despatches received here from Cettinje, the capital of Montenegro, indicate that Austria-Hungary is endeavoring to cut off Montenegro from all communication with the outside world and thus starve her. The dual monarchy is described as surrounding this small state with overwhelming forces of Croats on the mountains in addition to a garrison of 40,000 men at Cattaro, which prevents any communication with Herzegovina and the Adriatic.

Against about 100,000 Austrians, Montenegro can oppose only 15,000 men with limited artillery.

Something like 70,000 people from villages in Bosnia burned by Austrian troops have taken refuge in Montenegro.

GEN. JOFFRE OPTIMISTIC

PARIS, April 3.—A despatch from Dunkirk published today in the Eclair says:

"General Joffre in the course of a visit to Belgian headquarters to decorate certain Belgian officers with the Legion of Honor told King Albert and Premier De Broqueville that the war soon would come to an end to the advantage of the allies."

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK

LONDON, April 3.—The British steamer Lockwood was torpedoed by a German submarine Friday night off Start point in Devonshire. The members of the crew were saved. The Lockwood was owned in London. Built in 1896, she was of 677 tons and 236 feet long.

A German submarine pursued the Lockwood for several miles before being able to get a position from which she could discharge her torpedo. The projectile struck the steamer abaft the engine room but the crew of 25 found time to lower a lifeboat. Later they were picked up by a trawler and brought into port.

NORWEGIAN CAPTAIN KILLED

A Reuter despatch from Bergen says the Norwegian consul at Lisbon has reported to the owners that the Norwegian steamer Loevstakken was struck by projectiles during the German bombardment of Libau and seriously damaged. Captain Handsland was killed by a shell fragment. The Loevstakken is a vessel of 2,000 tons owned by S. A. Olsen & Co., of Bergen.

QUIET IN THE DARDANELLES

LONDON, April 3, 1.42 a. m.—A despatch to the Times from Mytilene dated Thursday, says:

"Except for a few shots on the 28th and the reported bombardment of Turkish positions near the Gulf of Saros by the Queen Elizabeth, there has been no fighting recently in the Dardanelles region.

"The British public which may have taken too light hearted a view of the campaign against the gates of the Turkish empire, will have to exercise patience and be prepared to accept heavy losses with equanimity. Owing to the weather and other reasons the Turks and Germans had time to strengthen greatly the positions on both sides of the straits. They have a fair supply of artillery mounted in excellent positions which the allies' naval guns cannot always reach.

"There is nothing to show that the absence of comaraderie between the German and Turkish officers has diminished the fighting efficiency of the army to any considerable extent. The Turk shows at his best in defensive operations and much hard fighting in which the allies must suffer heavily may be expected before the allies are able to train their guns on the Porte."

ABOUT LORD ROSEBERRY

ROME, April 2, 5.10 p. m., via Paris, April 3, 5.10 a. m.—A statement has been issued by the British embassy, officially denying a report which has been current here that Lord Roseberry is coming to Rome on a special mission for his government or that any other person has been selected to undertake such a mission.

Many citizens of belligerent nations who have lived in Italy for years have made application for Italian citizenship, but the government has decided not to grant their requests until the close of the war.

BOMB FAILED TO EXPLODE

PARIS, April 3, 6.10 a. m.—A bomb which failed to explode was found in the garden of the Greek legation at Sofia, Bulgaria, close to the minister's private office, according to a Havas despatch from Athens. An investigation is being made by the police.

OFFICERS ORDERED HOME

BERLIN, via London, April 3, 10.15 a. m.—Five American army officers who have been attached to the German military forces in the capacity of observers, were ordered by cable today to return to the United States at once. The order came as a surprise as they expected to remain in Europe until the end of the war.

Lieut. Col. Joseph E. Kuhn, of the engineers who also has been acting as an observer, was not included in the order, as he hd been designated as military attache at the embassy at Berlin to succeed Major George T. Langhorn, recalled.

The United States officers since their arrival in Germany on Dec. 20 have spent two weeks on the western front and one week in the east. Those affected by the order are Major Clarence Williams of the ordnance department; Major Dwight E. Aultman of the field artillery; Captain Samuel D. Rockenbach of the cavalry; Captain Wilson B. Burtt of the infantry and Captain Samuel F. Shartle of the coast artillery.

RESIGNED IN A BODY

PARIS, April 3, 1.15 a. m.—Information has been received here to the effect that officials of the Belgian public works department who agreed to continue their duties with the understanding that they would not be asked to aid in the construction of military works, resigned in a body when ordered by the German military authorities to direct the repair and construction of roads designed for strategic purposes. The valuable archaeological and historical collection belonging to M. Huybrigts of Tongres, Belgium, is reported to have been ruined when his house was destroyed. The collection was valued by German experts before the beginning of the war at more than $87,500.

SOME IMPORTANT FIGHTING

VIENNA, via London, April 3, 10.15 a. m.—The fighting in Bukowina, according to information obtained from private sources, appears to be of more importance than is evident from the surface indications in official reports. Apparently the Austrians have gained a success of considerable proportions.

The Russians had massed in force to check a threatened Austro-Hungarian invasion and reoccupy northern Bukowina. They are said to have attached considerable weight to this operation because of the effect it might have on public opinion in Rumania. Austrian advices are to the effect that the Russians were completely defeated and driven back into Bessarabia with very heavy losses in proportion to the number engaged.

SUNK OFF LUNDY ISLAND

LONDON, April 3.—It was learned here today that the British steamer Eston, until recently known as the Southpoint, was sunk off Lundy island on the Devonshire coast on March 28 and not off Cape Finisterre, Spain, as was erroneously reported in a despatch from Lisbon, where the surviving members of the crew were landed.

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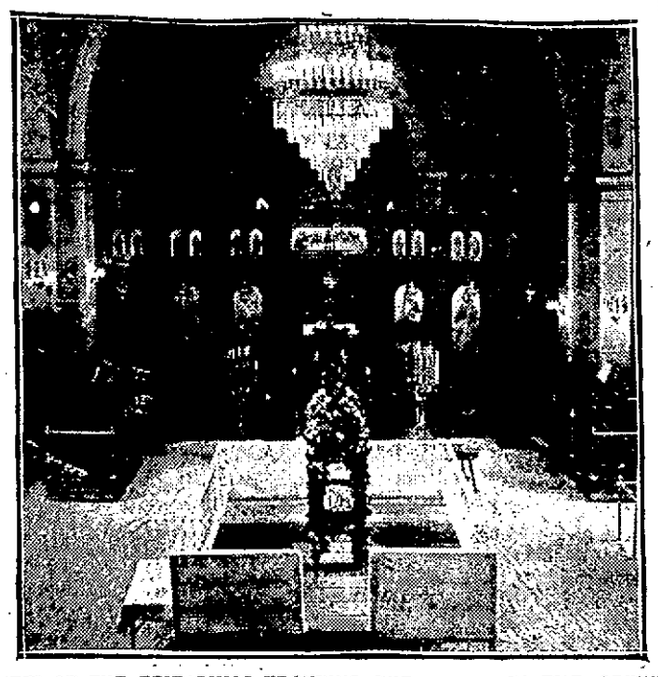

VIEW OF THE EPITAPHIOS FRONTING THE ALTAR IN THE GREEK CHURCH. (See page five.)

Photo by C. Etslon

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The Bricklayers' union held its regular weekly meeting last night in Trades & Labor hall with a large attendance. The session was of long duration, but only business of a routine nature was transacted.

United Textile Workers

Organizer Thomas F. McMahon of the United Textile Workers visited Maynard Thursday night, where he conducted a large mass meeting for weavers, at which 32 applications for membership were received. Organizer McMahon will conduct a similar meeting in Fitchburg tomorrow afternoon.

Millmen, Local 1468

The Millmen's union, local 1468, held a meeting last night in Carpenters' hall, at which a grist of routine business was transacted. A number of communications were read and referred to the proper committees and several reports were read and accepted.

Plasterers' Union, Local 45

The regular weekly meeting of the Plasterers' union was held last night in Trades & Labor hall and considerable business of importance was transacted. Reports, communications and other business was passed upon and several of the members spoke on the good of the union. The labor forward movement was also discussed.

Electrical Workers' Union

The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers held a routine session in the union quarters in the Fiske building last night, and a number of applications for membership were received.

Cotton Manufacturers' Meeting

The spring meeting of the Cotton Manufacturers will be held April 28 and 29 at the Copley Plaza hotel, Boston, and Lowell mill men will attend.

Tremont & Suffolk Mills

The Tremont & Suffolk mills filed their annual statement for the year, ending December 31, 1914. The statement shows an increase in surplus of something over $850,000, and in addition, $800,000 of dividends were paid during the year, so that there seems to have been a profit of about $165,000. The statement is as follows:

ASSETS

Real estate, as shown by books	$1,228,090.69
Machinery	1,100,665.26
Manufactures, merchandise material and stock in process	1,078,442.16
Cash and debts receivable	934,423.05
Total	$4,641,621.16

LIABILITIES

Capital stock	$2,000,000.00
Accounts payable	82,928.67
Surplus, profit and loss	2,558,692.49
Total	$4,641,621.16

Tremont & Suffolk Dividend

The Tremont & Suffolk mills has declared a dividend of $2 per share payable May 15.

Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co.

The Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. is probably destined to fulfill the highest expectations of all the parties who organized it or bought its stock. The Russian embargo on wool, however, has temporarily cast a damper upon the immediate prospects. Ordinarily, the company uses 100 bales of wool daily, but at the present time it has only enough to last, at the present rate of usage, until May 1. If the allies are so fortunate as to open up the Dardanelles within a short space of time affairs with the company will improve shortly. As a result of the shortage the Bigelow-Hartford has been forced to reduce its working week to four days. Supt. Pierce, however, looks for brighter things, and says he hopes to give out something in a few days which will be interesting news.

Boys and Girls

Are you going to enter the selling contest and win a $25.00 prize?

Beginning TODAY, and running for three weeks we shall run a

Selling Contest

in which any boy or girl may enter. It is to introduce our

Masury's No-Mar Stain

The prizes will run from articles ranging in value from $25.00 down, including Boys' or Girls' Bicycle, Cameras, etc.

Call and get a book and information today, and get a good start.

THE THOMPSON HARDWARE CO.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FUNERAL NOTICES

ROCKWELL—Died, in this city, April 3, at his home, 28 C street, Percy L. Rockwell, aged 16 years, 8 mos., 22 days. Funeral services will be held from his home, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

LEIGHTON—The funeral of John Leighton will take place Sunday afternoon at 230 o'clock from his home, 656 Bridge street. A high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church Monday morning at 8 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick cemetery, in charge of Charles H Molloy.

CONWAY—The funeral of the late John Conway will take place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Services at the grave in St. Patrick's cemetery. On Monday morning at 8 o'clock a high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

HARDISTY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hardisty will take place Monday morning, April 5, from her home, 796 Lawrence street, at eight o'clock. Funeral high mass of requiem at Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertaker J. J. O'Connell.

BRAWN—Died, in this city, April 3, at the Old Ladies' Home, Mrs. Roxy Lilley Brawn, aged 82 years and 6 months. Funeral services will be held from the home, 620 Fletcher street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

ATKINSON—The funeral of George T. Atkinson will take place Sunday night from his late home, 9 Hereford Place, at 8.15 o'clock. The remains will be sent on the 8.40 train to Stowe, Vermont, for burial. Arrangements in charge of Undertaker Savage.

DEATHS

LEWIS—Mrs Mary E. Lewis, formerly of this city, died Wednesday at the home of her son, George E. Lewis of Roxbury, Mass. She leaves besides her son, a sister, Miss H. Delia Clark of Roxbury, and three nephews, A. B. Graves of Nashua, N H, and H P Graves and C. W. Graves of this city.

CHARETTE—Elias Charette, aged 31 years, 11 months, 20 days, an esteemed member of Branch Pawtucketville, A C F, died yesterday at his home, 403 Mammoth road, after a brief illness He leaves beside his wife, his father, Telesphore Charette; two sons, Albert and Gerard and a daughter, Blanche Charette.

ROBBINS—Melvina A Robbins died April 1 at her home in Carlisle, aged 90 years She leaves two brothers, George H Robbins of Carlisle and Henry Robbins of Westford.

ROCKWELL—Percy L. Rockwell, a student of the Lowell high school, died this morning at his home, 28 C street, aged 16 years, 8 mos., 22 days. He leaves besides his father, Guy L. Rockwell, one sister, Blanche, two brothers, Webster L. and Clifton R. Rockwell.

FIELDING—Fred A. Fielding, a former resident of this city and for the past years residing at Bozeman, Mont., died Wednesday at Los Angeles, Cal. Deceased was born in this city and for for some years he was a partner of his father, Henry A. Fielding in the hardware business at the present store of Bartlett & Dow. Thirty years ago he removed to Bozeman, Mont. The rigorous climate of Montana, however, impaired his death, and at times for the past few years, he and his wife made their home in Los Angeles, Cal. Deceased was favorably known in this city.

DEMAIO—Nicholas Demaio, aged 49 years, died this morning at St. John's hospital after a short illness. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker Molloy. Deceased is survived by a wife, Phoebe. He was a member of N. E. O. P., Winchester lodge of New Haven, Conn.

FUNERALS

MANSUR—The funeral of Ruby Inez Mansur was held from the home of her parents yesterday afternoon. Rev. Gerge M. Smiley, pastor of the Central Methodist church, officiated and Mrs. Agnes Hart sang appropriate selections. The floral offerings included the following: Pillow inscribed "Our Ruby," parents; cross on base surmounted by dove, Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Mansur and tributes from Ernest Mansur, Frank Mansur, Elsie and Hattie Mansur, Engine Co. No. 5, Mr. and Mrs. Flaherty, Mrs. Heald, Mrs. Hyde, Mrs. Pettingill and Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Hale and Mrs. Steady; ninth grade of Varnum school, Mrs. Woods and Mrs. Brown, friends, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simpson and Benjamin Simpson, Mrs. Darby and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Simpson. The bearers were William Koeler, Charles Koehler, Milo Payton and George Flavell. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. Undertaker George M. Eastman was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

BENSON—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine R. Benson was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her cousin, Mrs. D. A. Munson, 393 Beacon street. Rev. W. Earl Pittenger, pastor of the Centralville M. E. church, conducted the services and Mr. Pittenger and Mrs. Albert Swapp sang appropriate selections. Beautiful floral offerings were received from relatives and friends. Burial will take place in Biddeford, Me. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George M. Eastman.

EARDLEY—The funeral of Mrs. Jane Eardley was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her niece, Mrs. Frank Shields, 97 Jewett street. The floral offerings included the following: Pillow inscribed "Aunt," nephews of deceased, and cross on base from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shields. The bearers were James F. Conley, Michael F. Conley, Thomas Delaney, Irving Bancroft, Frank Shields and Michael Grogan. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were recited by Rev. Fr. Mullin of St. Michael's church. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker James W. McKenna.

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Easter Candy

When you break your Lenten fast tomorrow be sure you eat

Danas' Home Made Candies

Special—All our 40c Chocolates today, a lb..... 27c

Fruits, Berries and Ice Cream to take out.

J. Danas Co.

62 Gorham St., Opp. Postoffice

Telephone 8262

SHOT AT PANAMA

Corporal of the United States Coast Artillery Shot and Killed

COLON, April 3.—Corporal Langdon of the United States coast artillery was shot and killed and three other American soldiers were injured, one of them seriously, in a riot here yerterday. The soldiers were engaged in patrol duty in the tenderloin district. The shooting, which resulted in a general fight, was the outgrowth of an argument between a soldier, who is alleged to have been drinking, and a Panama policeman, who drew a weapon and fired at him.

Soldiers Unarmed

Many shots were fired by the Panama police, the civilians and soldiers all being unarmed. Brigadier-General Clarence R. Edwards, commander of the American forces in the canal zone, who is here to meet Major General Leonard Wood, commander of the department of the east, today, immediately took charge and ordered all soldiers from the streets.

A thorough investigation is being made by both the military and the Panama authorities. None of the Panama policemen or civilians was injured. The policeman who shot Langdon was arrested by order of the military authorities and was confined in a guard house. It is said that none of the three soldiers injured is fatally hurt.

The shooting occurred near the ball grounds where a team representing the Fifth United States Infantry was playing the Cristobal nine. Some 2000 soldiers of the Fifth, 10th and 29th Infantry regiments who were witnessing the ball game became greatly excited upon hearing of the shooting. Some missiles were thrown and several persons were injured. The excitement continued until army officials arrived and ordered the men to take trains for their stations.

TAKING WAR EASIER

BOSTON, April 3.—One of Harvard's seniors, Thomas K. Meloy of New York has just returned from a short trip in Europe, where he traveled through Holland, Germany, France, Switzerland and England. He claims that the Germans are the more easygoing in the face of the war, and that their theatres and all places of amusement are wide open, while in Paris one is reminded of a tomb.

The treatment of prisoners by the allies is declared to be better than that given their captives by the Germans. He says the prisoners in the hands of the Germans are usually dirty and thin looking. The German prisoners in England are treated like princes.

He claims that the feeling in Germany against Americans is becoming more and more bitter, due to the feeling that we are aiding the British with arms. Meloy claims that the Germans hate the Americans now worse than they do the French or Russians.

Another Harvard man will visit the war zone soon. Tracy Putnam, captain of the fencing team, is the man, and he leaves on April 9, to enlist in the ambulance service.

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SUPT. KERNAN

Reports on the Recent Meeting of Park Superintendents

Supt. Kernan, of the local park department recently attended a meeting of the park superintendents of New England cities and others interested in park or recreation work at Springfield, Mass. Highly interesting papers were read by Mr. A. E. Metzdorf, supervisor of recreations of Springfield, Mass.; Mr. H. J. Neale, city forester, Worcester, Mass.; Mr. R. P. Wainwright, superintendent of parks, New Britain, Conn.; Mr. T. A. Bray, superintendent of parks, Holyoke, Mass.; which were not only entertaining, but quite instructive. The institute was also addressed by the mayor of the city also Dr. Andrew J. Flanagan and Theodore R. Geisel, members of the Springfield park board.

Dr. Flanagan in his remarks pointed out that the well to do man has an opportunity for Sunday recreation that is denied by law to the man in humbler circumstances. At the golf or country clubs the man of means can play golf all day Sunday, if he wishes. He can also take a long trip in his motor car. A walk on any afternoon in summer through the congested sections of Springfield, Dr. Flanagan said, will prove to anyone the need of recreation activities for the men, women and children who do not belong to the country club and automobile class of society. The feeling of the community in the matter of Sunday recreation should be respected by boards of park commissions or other governing bodies that may have occasion to legislate on matters of Sunday amusement. It is extremely unfair for people to condemn Sunday amusement and then offer no solution to the recreation problem.

In answer to Dr. Flanagan's questions, Mr. S. Wales Dixon, the supervisor of recreation in Hartford, Conn., told how the Sunday sports are managed in that city. Baseball, golf and tennis are permitted on Sunday afternoons under the provisions of a recently enacted state law, which puts the control of such sports in the hands of the park commissioners of the various towns and cities of Connecticut. No admission fee can be charged at the Sunday games and "series" games for championship cannot be played. It is also forbidden to pass the hat after a game. Thus the sport is kept on an absolutely amateur basis and is made as impromptu as possible. There are fifteen baseball diamonds in Colt park, Hartford, and they are used every pleasant Sunday afternoon from 2 until sunset. The law has worked out admirably in Hartford, Mr. Dixon said.

The importance of the school-house as the community center was emphasized by Mr. Mertzdorf in his talk on the progress of recreation work in the city. He told of the work of the 18 summer playgrounds and the two swimming beaches that are maintained in the city. The policy adopted last fall of keeping the playgrounds open after school hours proved very successful and should be continued. There seems to be a widespread idea that the play spirit stops at the end of August, but this is not true;—the children who use the playgrounds in the summer need them just as much during the school term after school hours.

In the evening all the guests were taken in city automobiles on a tour to six schoolhouses located in different parts of the city that they might witness dances run under the direction and supervision of the park commission of the city. Miss Emily Skilton and Mrs. Alvah Sturgess of Lowell, Mass., were guests of the association.

The Mr. Wales Dixon mentioned is to address a meeting of the board of trade in the near future.

ANNUAL CHARITY BALL

AFFAIR IN AID OF ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL WILL BE UNIQUE SOCIAL EVENT

All arrangements have now been completed for the annual charity ball for St. John's hospital which will be held Wednesday evening, April 7, in Associate hall. Every detail has been attended to with a thoroughness which promises an evening of unique enjoyment. Preceding the dancing there will be a concert from 8 to 9 and dancing will be held from 9 to 2. Music will be by the famous Hoppe's orchestra. The decorations and electrical effects will be unusually striking. The spotlight of the B. F. Keith's theatre has been loaned for the occasion, and there will be moonlight dances and other novelties. During one dance, only the instruments in the band will be illuminated. The aim has been to introduce refined features of a surprising nature.

William C. Purcell is floor director, assisted by a large number of aids. Hugh J. Molloy is chairman of the reception committee. Heads of other committees are: Printing and distribution of tickets; Miss Rose Dowd, decorations, Mrs. James Gookin; music, Mrs. Nano Gallagher Leahey; refreshments, Mrs. John M. Murphy; junior assembly, Mrs. Henry L. Rourke; dancing, Mrs. John H. Donnelly.

STAND TO BE COUNTED

BOARD OF TRADE WANTS EVERYBODY ENUMERATED BY CENSUS ENUMERATORS

The Lowell board of trade is interested in the state census which will be started in this city Monday through the bureau of statistics and accordingly the members of the board have issued the following letter to the public of Lowell.

"The commonwealth of Massachusetts through the bureau of statistics is about to begin the task of compiling the state census. This is a custom carried out every five years. The enumerators will begin their canvass Monday and it is very important that each and every resident be properly recorded.

The population of a city determines its standing and Lowell today occupies fourth place with New Bedford and Cambridge close competitors for this position.

Therefore, let each resident make an endeavor to be properly recorded and assist the enumerators whenever possible. Headquarters have been established at the board of trade office and information will be gladly furnished.

All together to maintain the standing of the city.

Executive committee,

Lowell Board of Trade.

TRAGEDY IN CAB

Train Runs Wild With Engineer Dead at the Throttle

NEW YORK, April 3.—With the engineer dead, instantly killed when he put his head out of the cab window for a moment, the fast Knickerbocker express of the New Haven road, roaring along at high speed from Boston to New York, ran wild for nearly a mile last night, just outside this city.

Not until the helper discovered the tragedy, in the dimly lighted cab, and leaped to the controller, was the long train, with its dozens of passengers, brought to a standstill. The fireman finally brought the train into the Grand Central station.

Struck by Another Train

Charles A. McConville, a veteran in the service of the New Haven, was the engineer who lost his life so suddenly. Just after the train had passed Woodlawn he leaned out of the window of the electric locomotive, which had replaced the steam engine at Stamford, to examine the trucks. As his body hung half out of the window, another passenger train drove by in the opposite direction. One of the cars struck McConville's head, and in an instant he was lifeless, and his body, swayed by the motion of the train, slid back into the cab.

The noise of the blow and the falling body attracted the attention of the fireman, Henry Greszer. He stepped to the engineer's side of the cab, lifted the body aside and slowly shut off the power, bringing the train to a stop. In the meantime the train had traveled nearly a mile, but the passengers were unconscious of the danger.

When McConville's body had been carried back to one of the baggage cars Greszer brought the train into this city.

McConville was 48 years old and had been in the service of the New Haven road for 30 years. His home was in New Haven, and he leaves a wife and three children.

The body will be carried back to his home city for burial.

SUBMARINE L-1 LISTED

QUINCY CRAFT DIVES 200 FEET—CAN STAY DOWN FOR TWO DAYS

PROVINCETOWN, April 3—The submarine torpedo boat L-1, which has been built by the Electric Boat company for the United States navy, was tried off Cape Cod yesterday, and she gave entire satisfaction to her designers.

This boat is one of the Holland type, which has been built at the yards of the Fore River Engine company, and is one of a group of four which were authorized by congress in 1913.

Submerged 200 Feet

The government requires that these boats should be submerged to a depth of 200 feet, that they shall be capable of staying under water at rest for 48 hours and shall make 15 nautical miles an hour on the surface and seven nautical miles when submerged.

It was an ideal day for the trial and the new craft left the Fore River shipyard at Quincy, Mass., early in the morning and made the run across Plymouth bay under her own power very satisfactorily. There is lots of deep water off the cape, and this course for speed trials as well as for the submergence test is regarded as the best on the coast.

Dives Under Perfect Control

The new L-1 ran out to the deep spot and then without any preparation began to make her dive. She started slowly and under perfect control, and gradually settled in the water until she was down 200 feet, according to the instruments on board, which register the depth of submergency.

Then she rested and allowed the full pressure of the water to thoroughly test the construction of the hull, and while she rested the engineers carefully inspected every part of the vessel and particularly those parts where there might be any signs of strain.

The submarine stood the test well. There were no indications anywhere of weakness and not a single drop of water was taken in at any of the seams or joints. After staying submerged for some time and until the engineers were well satisfied with the performance of the boat she came again to the surface and then proceeded under her own power back to the Fore River yard.

Y. M. C. I. 25TH ANNIVERSARY

The Y. M. C. I. will hold its regular meeting tomorrow morning in the society quarters in Stackpole street and considerable business of importance will come up for transaction. Final arrangements for the 25th anniversary banquet to be held on Monday evening, April 12, will also be made. At a recent meeting the following committees were appointed to take charge of the banquet:

Banquet committee—John H. Shea, chairman; Michael Concannon, secretary; John King, treasurer; John McCaffery, James Burns, Patrick Farrell, Frank McCartin, Joseph Lecam, William Welsh, John Mulligan, Martin Conley, John Cole, Paul Clark.

Ticket and program committee—John Cole, James Burns, Patrick Farrell.

Decorations and music committee—John King, Joseph Lecam, Frank Haggerty.

Entertainment committee—Martin Conley, chairman.

Catering committee—Frank McCartin, John McCaffery, John Mulligan, Paul Clark, William Welsh.

Publicity committee—Frank Haggerty, Michael Concannon.

The following members were also appointed on the literary committee: Andrew Doyle, chairman; Thomas Clark, Joseph McCartin, John King, Charles Burns, John N. Payne, John Tansey, John Lecam, Frank Roane and Walter Kelley.

The library which is now open for inspection, compares favorably with that of any society library or reading room in the city. Electric lights have been installed and new furniture will be put in some time next week.

GRASS FIRE IN BILLERICA

A brush and grass fire broke out on land between St. Andrew's church and the Talbot Chemical company's plant at North Billerica early this afternoon and threatened to develop into a serious blaze on account of the high wind blowing at the time. An alarm was sounded and the North Billerica department responded in quick time and succeeded in quenching the blaze before any serious damage resulted.

THEY DO SAY

That some of the Easter lilies look sick.

That Lieut. Duncan expected his promotion.

That Gerald "sold out to Raymond" Friday night.

That the local firemen will soon start drilling.

That the labor leaders will be very active this month.

That another epidemic of marriages is due next week.

That city hall is away off on the meaning of economy.

That there are worse places than a submarine in a storm.

That everybody is wondering who the new sergeant will be.

That even the undertaker may be sincere in wishing you well.

That one sees nearly everybody but police in the new police auto.

That Capt. Walton still retains his youthful step despite his 79 years.

That the appointment of Lieut. Duncan meets with approval everywhere.

That "Charlie" learned something about hydrants during the past week.

That the ministers' conference at city hall was a most interesting one.

That the members of the fair sex are hoping for a good day tomorrow.

That once again we shall see the woman of 60 who sports a girlish hat.

That chewing gum and chewing tobacco are almost equally undesirable.

That Gay street in North Chelmsford may be paved within the next few years.

That Joe is again visiting his friend J. P., who he has not seen for a long time.

That many of the young men of the city enjoyed "visiting" Thursday night.

That Mary C. makes a very capable director for the Sacred Heart parish play.

That English grammar received another jolt from city hall during the week.

That Lowell people are to attend the brilliant "Celtic" ball in Lawrence, April 9.

That the oil cart and car sprinklers will be welcomed by all residents of this city.

That collectors may come and collectors may go, but Georgie goes on forever.

That Albert had a pretty hard time digesting his Welsh "rabbit" the other night.

That judges may come and judges may go, but the "Dutch verdict" goes on forever.

That a $3000 celebration would be as big a waste as certain salaries paid to high officials.

That the smiling countenance of Perry Thompson is about to dawn on the political horizon.

That the new quarters of the Leather Workers' union present a very attractive appearance.

That the small boys in No. Chelmsford have heard the crack of the bat 'way down in Dixie.

That automobile accidents will occur until chauffeurs are trained to go slow and use their judgment.

That the discussion over the recent postoffice break at North Chelmsford has completely died out.

That George Lynch is revamping a lot of venerable jokes for the coming banquet of the Y. M. C. I.

That the talented Sunday school teachers of the Sacred Heart church are rehearsing for their play.

That the Lowell board of trade essay contest will be a yearly contest among the school children.

That Postmaster Neil Mahoney of North Billerica will lead the march at the Mathews' Easter Monday ball.

That the mayor's second term boosters should leave one of those petitions in the street railway men's lobby.

That it is as hard to fool school children with explanations why the speech is bad as it is to fool adults.

That Edmond Gill, the genial messenger at the state house objects to being called an amateur billiard player.

That while needy men want work the city should not spend its money in the entertainment of out-of-town militiamen.

That according to the members of the South Lowell Improvement association, South Lowell will remain on the map.

That over 3000 married men followed the retreat exercises at St. Joseph's and St. Jean Baptiste churches this week.

Tht Con Cronin is thinking about getting the old basketball stars together for a series with the Centralville A. C.

That the dancing craze has all but died out, to the regret of those to whom it gave a certain rejuvenation.

That nowadays before a girl falls in love, she finds out whether it is financially worth while.

That the woman who marches down the aisle tomorrow with a new bonnet will not have her mind on her prayers all the time.

That Rev. Dr. Bartlett made the fur fly in fact, when he put whiskers on Inspector Bigelow and a wig on his running-mate.

That Officer Hessian couldn't find a set of whiskers to match his complexion and hence was not detailed for sleuth work.

That Park Commissioner Rountree is one of the favored few who have been given a ride in the new police department auto.

That Mayor Curley's aversion for the nude in motion pictures unfits him for attendance at anything in the nature of a Seeley dinner.

That the residents of the Oaklands are wide awake and are getting what they want, thanks to their improvement association.

That Principal Irish presented an object lesson to Mayor Murphy on the need of a new high school at the Lowell day exercises.

That the last basketball game played in this city was a revelation when brought in contrast with some of the previous games.

That perhaps the militiamen will do as the labor men did last year, and forego the pleasure of a celebration on account of the city's needs.

That the militiamen will have an opportunity to get exercise at their annual maneuvers without taking extra exercise at the city's expense.

That many a dolled up girl who looks perpetually at the show windows is more closely related to the wax figure inside than she'd care to acknowledge.

That if it wasn't Easter Sunday some fine sermons might be preached tomorrow with Winnie MacBrayne's recent Fourth of July oration as a text.

That if a liquor inspector can catch three liquor dealers by means of false whiskers what may be expected of another liquor inspector if he wears a wig.

That with the coming of the warm weather the young one tries to get freckles and the other runs around to collect lotions and aids to the injured.

That Miles P. Moloney, the street railwayman found that rig in the Oaklands though the cop got the credit. Miles was exonerated, as it were.

That some of the "boys" were tipped in advance as to the disguises while others were not, and again our old friend "equal rights, etc." received a bump.

That while everybody in Centralville knew in advance that the liquor inspectors were coming, no advance information as to their visit reached Salem street.

That "Mike" Markham was very much pleased when a Sun reporter informed him his son Edwin had won the gold medal in the board of trade essay contest.

That Special Officer Clark has been assigned to further investigate that recent drowning in Hale's brook, the superintendent having previously made an investigation.

That Mayor Murphy presented his views on the Fourth of July celebration to the Ladies of the G. A. R. who as yet have not been given the right to vote for mayor.

That the strangest thing about this popular Bachelor club that is soon to run a show is that it is permitted to exist with so many eligible young men in its membership.

That the unemployed who can't get work because the city hasn't sufficient money are paraphrasing Spartans of old and are saying: "Loafing to make a Lowell holiday."

That there is something wrong with the man who tells you today that he is terribly in debt and tomorrow asks you to make plans for accompanying him to the Panama canal.

That the mayor some day will realize that when he withholds news from The Sun he is attempting to deprive thousands of citizens of a privilege which is not to be denied them.

That the mayor's decision in the Petrie case was known in Boston before it was given out in this city and there was no copy for The Sun but this paper got the copy nevertheless.

That now that the elections are over in Billerica and other neighboring towns and the enforcement of the liquor laws therein provided for, the big chief will give his undivided attention to law-enforcement in Lowell.

That Officer Jack Leighton will be missed from Merrimack square. Before becoming a traffic officer he had patrolled the Merrimack square beat for a number of years and made many friends. He was frequently called upon to use his own judgment, and his judgment never erred.

WHOOPING COUGH

Well—everyone knows the effect of Pine Forests on Coughs. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a remedy which brings quick relief for Whooping Cough, loosens the mucous, soothes the lining of the throat and lungs, and makes the coughing spells less severe. A family with growing children should not be without it. Keep it handy for all Coughs and Colds. 25c at your Druggist.

Electric Bitters a Spring Tonic.

AN INTERESTING REPORT

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD MAKES STATEMENT—DECREASE IN GOLD COIN AND CERTIFICATES

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Gold coin and certificates in the hands of the federal reserve banks decreased about $3,000,000 during the last week, while legal tender and silver certificates increased about $2,500,000, according to the statement of condition April 3 issued today by the federal reserve board. It shows:

Resources:

Gold coin and certificates, $239,176,000.

Legal tender notes, silver certificates and subsidiary coin, $25,627,000.

Total, $264,803,000.

Bills discounted and loans:

Maturities within 30 days, $10,075,000.

Maturities within 60 days, $15,244,000.

Others, $6,359,000.

Total, $32,678,000.

Investments, $22,299,000.

Due from F. R. banks items in transit, $10,289,000.

All other resources, $8,605,000.

Total resources, $339,674,000.

Liabilities:

Capital paid in, $36,123,000.

Reserve deposits, $293,954,000.

Federal reserve notes in circulation (net liabilities), $9,577,000.

Total liabilities, $339,674,000.

Gold reserve against net liabilities, 81.6 per cent.

Cash reserve against net liabilities, 90.3 per cent.

Cash reserve against liabilities after setting aside 40 per cent gold reserve against net amount of federal reserve notes in circulation, 92.0 per cent.

WAS NOT MURDERED

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., April 3.—The mystery which has surrounded the disappearance of Major Ambrose Bierce, author and journalist, who has been sought by his family for several months, was cleared up yesterday when a letter from him was received by his daughter, Mrs. Helen Cowden of this city.

It brought the surprising information that her father was a staff officer in Lord Kitchener's army and was fighting for the allies in Europe. He left Mexico early last fall, he wrote, and had since been actively engaged at the front in France. He said he had escaped injury and was in good health.

Washington authorities have been engaged since last fall in trying to find Major Bierce in Mexico. It was thought he had been murdered there while procuring material for a book on Mexican conditions.

EXTRA COPS IN HARLEM

NEW YORK, April 3.—Two squads, each of 50 uniformed policemen, will be put on extra duty Monday in the negro section of Harlem to prevent any fights or riots over the Jack Johnson-Jess Willard boxing match at Havana.

Inspector Ryan of the Sixth inspection district will have the regular force and the extra men on duty from 8 a. m. Monday till midnight. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon the early force will be relieved by 50 night men.

The district covered will be between 131st street and 10th streets and east of Lenox avenue, where there is a population of over 80,000 negroes.

SOCCER GAME POSTPONED

SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Pa., April 3.—The semi-final game between the Homestead and Bethlehem soccer teams for the national cup which was to have been played here today, was postponed until Monday on account of a snowstorm.

ON WAY TO SIBERIA

NEW YORK, April 3.—The Italian line steamer Duke Aosta, which sails today for Naples carries nine sanitary experts composing the American Red Cross sanitary commission which will endeavor to conquer the typhus fever and other diseases epidemic in Serbia. The expenses of the commission will be borne jointly by the Red Cross and the Rockefeller foundation. The commission will be under the direction of Dr. Richard P. Strong of Harvard university, who already is in Europe. Those who sail today are Dr. Thomas W. Jackson, chief sanitary inspector; Dr. Hans Zinser, bacteriologist; Dr. Andrew Sellards, Dr. George C. Shattuck, Dr. F. B. Grinnell; Dr. F. W. Caldwell, Hobert Brink, S. F. Standifer and Louis De La Pena.

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	63¼	62½	63
Am Beet Sugar	44⅞	44⅞	44⅞
Am Can	31⅞	31¼	31⅜
Am Can pf	95½	95½	95½
Am Car & Fn	47½	47	47½
Am Cot Oil	47	47	47
Am Hide & L pf	27¼	27¼	27¼
Am Locomo	30⅞	29⅞	30¾
Am Loco pf	92	90	92
Am Smelt & R	68	67½	67½
Am Smelt & R pf	104¼	104	104¼
Am Sugar Rfn	108	107½	107½
Anaconda	29⅛	29	29⅛
Atchison	99⅞	99½	99⅞
Balt & Ohio	72⅛	71⅞	72⅛
Br Rap Tran	90⅝	89¾	90⅝
Canadian Pa	164	162	164
Cent Leather	35	34⅞	35
Ches & Ohio	45¼	44½	45¼
Chi & Gt W	12¼	12	12⅛
Col Fuel	27¾	27⅛	27½
Consol Gas	122	120¾	121½
Den & Rio G pf	14½	14½	14½
Dis Secur Co	7¼	7	7
Erie	27½	26¾	27⅜
Erie 1st pf	44	41¾	44
Erie 2d pf	35	34	35
Gen Elec	145	145	145
Gt North pf	118¾	118½	118¾
Gt N Ore ctf	34⅞	34¾	34¾
Illinois Cen	108¾	108¾	108¾
Int Met Com	16½	15½	16½
Int Met Com pf	69⅜	67⅞	69⅛
Int Paper	9¼	9¼	9¼
Kan City So	24¾	24¼	24¾
Kan & Texas	14	13¾	13⅞
Lehigh Valley	137¼	136	137¼
Missouri Pa	14⅝	13¾	14⅝
Nat Lead	64	63⅜	63¾
Nat Lead pf	108½	108	108
N Y Central	85¾	84⅞	85¾
Nor & West	102¼	102¼	102¼
North Pacific	105½	105⅛	105½
Ont & West	29¾	29	29
Pennsylvania	106⅝	106⅛	106⅝
People's Gas	123½	122¾	122¾
Reading	146	144⅞	146
Rep Iron & S	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
Rep I & S pf	78⅞	78⅞	78⅞
Rock Is pf	1	1	1
St. Paul	89½	88⅝	89½
So Pacific	87½	86¾	87
Southern Ry	17¼	16⅞	17¼
Tenn Copper	30¼	30	30
Third Ave	54½	54	54¼
Union Pacific	126	124⅝	125⅝
Union Pac pf	80¾	80¾	80¾
U S Rub	65⅛	65	65⅛
U S Steel	49½	48⅜	49⅛
U S Steel pf	105⅞	105¾	105⅞
U S Steel 5s	102½	102½	102½
Utah Copper	56⅞	56⅞	56⅞
Wab R R pf	3	2¾	3
Westinghouse	73¾	72½	73½
Western Un	66	65⅞	65⅞

MINING SHARES

BOSTON, April 3.—Mining shares were neglected today, interest centering in local industrials. The close in the mining market was dull and irregular. Copper Range 45¾; North Butte 27¼; Granby 72¼.

THE CLOSING WAS STRONG

MARKET LEADERS OPENED WITH GENERAL ADVANCES — TRADING WAS COMPARATIVELY LIGHT

NEW YORK, April 3.—Market leaders opened with general advances today but soon reacted while the specialties, notably motor shares, again moved upward though in more moderate degree. Rock Island showed increasing heaviness, opening with one lot of 1600 shares at a maximum decline of ⅜ and later declining to 26¼. This compares with its recent high price of 36¼. In the group of high grade railroad issues Canadian Pacific showed a gain of a point. Trading was comparatively light with a small attendance on the exchange.

Considerable Activity

Considerable activity attended today's short market session, but more than a proportionate share of the trading was in issues of secondary importance. Local tractions were strong on a revival of dividend rumors. Rock Island moved in an uncertain fashion, declining almost three points and then recovering. Canadian Pacific and Eries reflected absorption. Other stocks like Reading, U. P., S. P., U. S. Steel and Amal. Copper were comparatively inactive until the final dealings when they recorded substantial advances. Bethlehem Steel made a further recovery of two points from its recent decline. Less prominent specialties gained from two to 29 points. The closing was strong.

MERCANTILE PAPER

NEW YORK, April 3.—Prime mercantile paper 3½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady; 60 day bills 4.7725; for cables 4.7985; for demand 4.7950. Bar silver 49⅞. Government bonds heavy; railroad bonds irregular.

COTTON FUTURES

NEW YORK, April 3.—Cotton futures opened firm. May, 9.67; July, 10.00; Oct., 10.38; Dec., 10.57; Jan., 10.64. The close was steady. May, 9.80; July, 10.11; Oct., 10.44; Dec., 10.62; Jan. 10.68. Spot steady. Middlings, 9.90. No sales.

BOSTON MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Boston & Albany	185	185	185
Boston Elevated	84½	83¾	83¾
Bos & Maine	36¼	34¼	36¼
Fitchburg pf	70	69	69
N Y & N H	60⅝	59⅞	60⅝
MINING			
Alaska Gold	34⅞	34½	34⅞
Algomah	2½	2½	2½
Allouez	46¼	44½	46¼
American zinc	29½	29⅜	29½
Arcadian	6⅝	6½	6⅝
Ariz Com	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
Butte & Superior	48	47¾	48
Cal & Ariz	60	60	60
Cal & Hecla	469	466	469
Centennial	19½	19	19½
Chino	39½	39⅛	39½
Copper Range	46¾	44¼	45¾
E. Butte	10½	10½	10½
Franklin	7¾	7½	7¾
Granby	74	72	74
Greene-Cananea	29	29	29
Indiana	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Isle Royale	23¼	23¼	23¼
Kerr Lake	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
Lake	11¼	11	11
La Salle	5½	5½	5½
Mass	8¾	8¾	8¾
Mayflower	6	5⅞	6
Miami	24⅝	24¼	24½
Michigan	1¼	1¼	1¼
Mohawk	64½	63	64½
Nevada	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞
North Butte	27¼	27	27¼
No. Lake	3¾	3½	3¾
Old Colony	5½	5⅜	5½
Osceola	73	73	73
Quincy	70	69	70
Ray Con	19½	19¼	19½
Santa Fe	1½	1½	1½
Shannon	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Superior	32	31¾	32
Tamarack	38	37	37½
U S Smelting	23¾	23¾	23¾
U S Smelting pf	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝
Utah-Apex	3½	3¼	3½
TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	119⅞	119¾	119⅞
New Eng Tel	130	130	130
MISCELLANEOUS			
Am Ag Chem pf	90	90	90
Am Woolen pf	80½	79½	80½
Mass Elec	7¼	7¼	7¼
Mass Gas	81	81	81
Mass Gas pf	87	86	87
Pond Creek	14¾	14½	14¾
Swift & Co	110¼	109⅞	110
United Fruit	134½	127½	134½
United Sh M	61¾	61¾	61¾
United Sh M pf	28½	28½	28½
BONDS			
do con 4½s	100	99¾	99¾

A BIG PASSENGER LIST

CUNARDER LUSITANIA FACES DANGER OF SUBMARINES ON TRIP TO LIVERPOOL

NEW YORK, April 3.—Notwithstanding the dangers of the submarine war zone about the British Isles, the Cunarder Lusitania, sailing today for Liverpool, had an exceptionally large passenger list. There were more than 200 first cabin passengers and 175 in the second cabin. Among them were Richard Croker and his bride and Mme. Lalla Vandervelde, wife of the Belgian minister of state who has collected nearly $300,000 here for the relief of Belgium.

THE QUESTION OF TIPS

FEDERAL COMMISSION ON INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS WILL INVESTIGATE WORKING CONDITIONS

CHICAGO, April 3.—Working conditions in five big industries, including the Chicago stockyards, Michigan copper mines and the Pullman car company will form the basis of inquiry lasting eight days by the federal commission on industrial relations.

The inquiry will begin Monday with the Pullman car company. The question of tips will be taken up in the Pullman company which employs 6000 porters and 2,000 conductors.

THE TOUGHEST YET

ALBANY, April 3.—Ogden L. Mills, millionaire state senator from Manhattan, has introduced a bill making a mutual promise to marry illegal unless it is in writing. At present a verbal promise to marry is binding. The bill in part reads:

"Every agreement, promise or undertaking is void unless it or some note or memorandum thereof be in writing and subscribed by the party to be charged therewith, or by his lawful agent, if such agreement, promise or undertaking is made in consideration of marriage, including mutual promises to marry."

This legal phraseology may be difficult for the lay mind to understand some of the lawmakers admit. But they add:

"All the Oliver Osbornes will know what it means."

The bill is in the senate judiciary committee. There is no opposition to it.

SUCCESSFUL CAKE SALE

A successful cake sale was held at the Highland Department store, corner of Westford and Coral streets, yesterday, in aid of St. John's hospital. A large and varied assortment of pastry was contributed by friends of the hospital and all was disposed of. The interior of the store was prettily decorated. The sale was in charge of Miss Rose Courtney and Mrs. Kerwin.

FIRST BALL GAME POSTPONED

The first baseball game of the season, which was scheduled for this afternoon at the Textile campus between the Textile school and the Cambridge Latin school team, was postponed when it became apparent that a storm and not a squall was in progress. The game will probably be played later in the season.

BASEBALL GAME POSTPONED

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Washington Americans-Philadelphia Nationals postponed, snow.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

For the week ending April 3: Population, 106,294; total deaths, 41; deaths under five, 17; infectious diseases, 1; acute lung diseases, 17; diphtheria, 2; tuberculosis, 3.

Death Rate—20.06 against 20.06 and 21.63 for previous two weeks.

Infectious Diseases Reported—Diphtheria, 2; scarlet fever, 2; measles, 3; tuberculosis, 6.

Board of Health.

STORM DELAYS HER

NEW YORK, April 3.—The Mauretania due to sail at 10 a. m. today for Liverpool was held up at her dock by thick weather and a heavy snowstorm through which objects 100 yards away could not be seen. With all passengers, baggage and cargo aboard the vessel lay at her dock awaiting abatement of the storm. Her officers said she would be held until tomorrow if necessary.

VIOLATION LAWS REPORTED

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after receipt of the notice, he loses his pay. This is a part of section 35 of the civil service laws. On the other hand, the employer who is notified of his illegal action and who pays no attention to the notification is subject to a fine of not less than $100 and not more than $1000.

Mr. Reynolds also explained the workings of transfers from one department to another for the benefit of the public. He said if a man is employed in a certain department and wishes to be transferred to another, he at first makes sure the head of the other department is willing to hire him. Then he has him send a letter to the civil service commission to that effect and if the employer is willing to allow the transfer, upon a vote of the commission it takes place.

Vocational School

Supt. Fisher of the Vocational school informed The Sun this morning that the boys from the machinist department of the school are in great demand in this city. He said a short time ago one of the students who had attended the school for three years secured employment at the United States Cartridge Co. and his services were so satisfactory that the company sent for three more boys. Mr. Fisher was later informed that the company could give employment to as many boys as the school could furnish.

Adjusting Losses

The adjusters on the Memorial building fire have allowed the sum of $2114 for the memorial tablets. However, there is a hitch in this settlement for it is not known if this amount is included on the contents or on the building, and this matter will be settled at a conference between the adjusters, the insurance men and the city.

Favors Celebration

Mayor Murphy is in receipt of a letter from the chairman of the Memorial day committee of the G. A. R. to the effect that the three posts of the G. A. R. as well as the Spanish War veterans and the Sons of Veterans favor the celebration of July 4th as planned. The letter is as follows:

Hon. Dennis J. Murphy,
Mayor of Lowell.

Mr. Mayor:

At a meeting of the Memorial day committee last Wednesday evening, the committee, consisting of delegates from the three Grand Army posts, Sons of Veterans and Spanish War veterans, it was unanimously voted to favor the military parade as already partially arranged for a celebration July 4th, and that the committee attend the hearing on April 6 as a body.

Owing to the Massachusetts department annual convention coming on the 6th and 7th and the meeting of the other patriotic societies in Boston at the same time, it will be impossible for many of us to attend the hearing of the 6th, so you will understand the reason why we are not present.

Yours respectfully,

J. H. Caverly,

Chairman of Memorial Day Committee.

Contract Awarded

The contract for a carload of soft western pig lead for the water department was awarded by the purchasing agent this morning to F. T. Baldwin, the lowest bidder, whose bid was $4.36 1-2 per hundred pounds. The other bids submitted were as follows: Costello, $4.37 1-2; Harry Drury, $4.39 1-3; Chadwick Lead Co., of Boston, $4.60. These bids are all F. O. B. Lowell.

Water Department

The employes of the water department are finishing the laying of 1075 feet of eight-inch pipe in Martin street. They are also at work on the laying of 300 feet of 10-inch pipe in Shaw street between Warwick and Wilder streets. A six inch connection will be laid next week from Bond street to Stevens street. In anticipation of the paving of Gorham street from Lincoln street to Manchester street and the macadamizing of the same street from Manchester to Corbett, the department will take out the six-inch water main and install in its stead a 12-inch pipe.

Invitation Received

The commissioners and the mayor are in receipt of an invitation from the trustees of the Lowell Textile school to attend the graduating exercises of the evening classes, which will be held at the school on the evening of April 14. An inspection of the various departments of the school will take place at 7 o'clock and the exercises will be held at 7.45 o'clock.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

BIG EASTER SNOWSTORM

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telegraph and telephone wires south of Washington. The center of trouble was in Virginia, where communication ceased at Lynchburg, Richmond, Newport News and Norfolk were isolated completely from wire communication with the rest of the country. South of Richmond, along the seaboard, the wires were in bad condition. Messages from New York to Havana were being sent by way of Chicago and Atlanta.

Wire conditions were said to be normal in New England, in New York state and as far south as Washington.

In the early afternoon the snowstorm and gale, which had raged for more than three hours, showed no signs of abating and prospects for Easter Sunday looked dubious.

The weather man held out a ray of hope, however, by his statement that he believed the worst of the storm would be over before tomorrow dawn and that bright skies would prevail on Sunday.

SNOW IN BOSTON

BOSTON, April 3—The Easter snowstorm reached this city on the wings of a stiff northeast breeze at noon today. It was particularly severe on the southeast coast, with wind velocities of more than 50 miles an hour at Block Island and Nantucket. The snow ended a record-breaking drought of 37 days.

STORM STRIKES LOWELL

A northeastern snow and wind storm struck Lowell about noon today and brought a sudden change from the real fine weather we experienced during the first two days of the month to a cold, blustering and howling storm, similar to what the weather man usually offers during the first two months of the year. Late yesterday afternoon the temperature began to fall and this morning it was 20 degrees colder, while during the forenoon a wind storm visited the city and increased in violence until early this afternoon when the snow was blown by furious blasts that drove the crowds from the streets to shelter.

The unpropitious weather brought gloom to Lowell merchants who hoped for a warm and calm day so that the people might come out and make their purchases for the Easter season. The fact that indications early this afternoon pointed to an unpleasant Easter Sunday kept many purchasers away from the stores while a few braved the weather and were seen hurrying for cars loaded with bundles.

Spring Blizzard

As The Sun goes to press this afternoon a real snow storm driven by a strong wind is in progress, the roofs of buildings are coated with snow and on most of the streets it is being converted into slush.

The storm came as a great surprise to most people and to a great extent blighted the prospects of the merchants for a big Easter business, as many of those who would otherwise be out shopping were afraid to venture out.

COLD IN NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, April 3.—April cold weather records for 21 years were broken here today when the thermometer touched 42 degrees.

PRESIDENT PLAYED GOLF

WASHINGTON, April 3.—President Wilson today played golf in the snowstorm. The president went 14 holes with a guest and then was forced to stop because of the snowfall.

THIN ICE IN TEXAS

HOUSTON, Texas, April 3.—All local weather bureau records for April were broken early today when thin ice formed. It is not thought, however, any damage resulted to crops.

STORM IN PHILADELPHIA

PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—A swirling snowstorm from the South Atlantic coast rode into Philadelphia on a 30-mile gale today. Thousands of persons who had planned to spend Easter at seashore and other resorts were disappointed but the weather bureau held out hope that Sunday would be clear.

Along the New Jersey coast a heavy rain fell. At the Delaware capes the gale blew 60 miles an hour and Atlantic City was swept by a 32-mile wind from the northeast.

UNDER GOVERNMENT CONTROL

GLASGOW, Scotland, April 3.—All motor manufacturing plants in Scotland have been placed under government control in pursuance of the government's plans to accelerate the supply of war material. These plants in the future will be run night and day in the production of motor lorries for the transport department.

JUDGE LAWTON'S DECISION

DECIDES AS TO THE CUSTODY OF MINOR CHILDREN OF MRS. ANNA M. ROURKE

Attorney William D. Ring of The Sun building today received an order from Judge Lawton of the probate court granting to his client, Anna M. Rourke, the custody of her two minor children, Helena Ivy and Winifred Doris, as a result of her petition which was given a hearing in this city on the third Tuesday of February and which was concluded in Cambridge on March 22.

It will be recalled that Mrs. Anna M. Rourke of Lowell, wife of William J. Rourke, of parts unknown, petitioned the court for the custody of her child, Helena Ivy, who has been living at the home of the child's grandmother, Mrs. Mary Rourke, of Lawrence street. The court took the matter under advisement and today notified counsel of his decision.

Judge Lawton's decree relative to the custody of the younger child, Helena Ivy, states that the grandmother, Mrs. Mary Rourke, shall have possession of her for one week, beginning with the second Monday of each month from March to December. Mr. Ring appeared for the petitioner and William A. Hogan for the respondent.

ELECTRIC LIGHT DIVIDEND

A quarterly dividend of $2 per share has been declared on the capital stock of the Lowell Electric Light corporation, payable May 1, 1915, to stockholders of record on April 17 next.

REPORT OF BIRTHS

Mar.
3—To Mr. and Mrs. John Rafferty, of 17 Lawrence street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Omer Bellerose of 28 Coolidge street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Boisvert, of 80 Rock street, a son.
6—To Mr. and Mrs. Wolfred Dufresne, of 7 Racine Place, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. John Gueran, of 8 Arthur street, a daughter.
9—To Mr. and Mrs. Terence P. O'Rourke, of 26 Dunfey street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gagnon, of 750 Merrimack street, a son.
11—To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Brady, of 133 Howard street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Desire Pouliot, of 120 Cross street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. John Sheehan, of 34 Iowa street, a daughter.
12—To Mr. and Mrs. James F. Mills, of 53 Pond street, a daughter.
13—To Mr. and Mrs. Thos. M. Welch, of 44 Common street, a daughter.
14—To Mr. and Mrs. George Ruescenki, of 1 Davidson street, a son.
16—To Mr. and Mrs. Nanuel P. Cardoza, of 102 Lincoln street, a son.
20—To Mr. and Mrs. Jan Wroblenski, of 81 West Third street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Capone, of 321 Hildreth street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. James F. Lillas, of 51 Schaffer street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. John E. Colby, of 327 Fairmount street, a son.
21—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marchand, of 34 Ward street, a son.
22—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Milafski, of 34 Winter street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Philip Crete, of 324 Aiken street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tourville, of 441 Worthen street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Allen, of 20 Queen street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Ammon H. Steeves, of 6 Hereford Place, a son.
23—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bronoki, of 102 First street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. George E. Martel, of 132 Main street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. George Charron, of 26 Sixth street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Webster, of 9 Cheney Place, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Jean B. St. Onge, of 109 Cheever street, a son.
24—To Mr. and Mrs. Jan Grzyp, of 2 Sullivan's court, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Stavros Singelakis, of 96 Jefferson street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Dionysios Koumoulous, of 624 Market street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Patseurakos, of 609 Market street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. James H. Fleming, of 41 Rock street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lacourse, of 103 Fremont street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mirault, of 223 Aiken street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lavigne, of 10 Dewey avenue, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. John J. Kennedy, of 134 Liberty street, a daughter.
25—To Mr. and Mrs. Josef Kubacki of 29 Front street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. James McMahon, of 54 Claire street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. James Chartis, of 14 Crosby street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Debonville, of 123 Railroad street, a son.
26—To Mr. and Mrs. Palizois Gargrapoulos of 189 Suffolk street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Markham of 56 Union street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. William Saka of 13 Watson avenue, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Silva of 112 Fruit street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. George Buckley of 79 Moore street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Alcide Demers of 97 Pawtucket street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Savard of 497 Moody street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Arthanase Beaudoin of 256 Cheever street, a son
To Mr. and Mrs. Hormisdas Aubrey of 176 Hall street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Wilkos Ignacy of 58 Common street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Feeney of 16 Kinsman street, a daughter.
27—To Mr. and Mrs. Daniel L. Sullivan of 77 West Fourth street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crossley of 373 Concord street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. David McCluskey of 309 Lawrence street, a daughter.
28—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Parker of 75 C street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Emmanuel Kaknes of 296 Stevens street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. McQuaid of 506 East Merrimack street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Lester A. Flemings of 493 Wilder street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. George Breault of 4 Blinkhorn avenue, a son.
29—To Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neil of 23 Cedar street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evilcee of 142 Cushing street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. John Zanabacoo of 357 Market street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Earley of 48 Pond street, a daughter.
30—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Lamoureaux of 264 West Sixth street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Edward McHugh of 45 Walnut street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Dominigos J. F. Spinney of 6 Elliot street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Peter Decatur of 53 Boynton street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Josef Smith of 104 Washington street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kelly of 10 South Whipple street, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Fahey of 28 Walnut street, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Soteros Kokinakis of 614 Market street, a son.
31—To Mr. and Mrs. John Lissien of 13 Union street, a son.
April
1—To Mr. and Mrs. Antoine Bouin of 273 West Sixth street, a son.

NEW YORK TRUST CO.

FILES BILL OF COMPLAINT AGAINST INTERNATIONAL MERCANTILE CO. AND OTHERS

NEW YORK, April 3.—Application was made in the United States district court for the appointment of receivers for the International Mercantile Co. on a bill of complaint filed by the New York Trust Co. The bill of complaint was filed against the International Mercantile, the Fidelity Trust Co. and the International Navigation Co.

The bill of complaint claims default of interest on $52,744,000 four and a half per cent collateral trust bonds.

The mammoth fleet that flies the flag of the International Mercantile Marine Co. was brought together by a syndicate and British capitalists under the leadership of the late J. P. Morgan. The corporation in its present form was chartered by the state of New Jersey in 1902 and succeeded the International Navigation Co. which had then been in existence for nine years. One hundred and nineteen steamships flying the flags of three nations—Great Britain, the United States and Belgium—were operated by the company, according to the latest figures. They represented a gross tonnage of 1,071,635 tons and there were then building 16 more ships. The company owned the White Star liner Titanic, which sank in the Atlantic three years ago with a loss of more than 1600 lives; and her sister ship, the Olympic, one of the largest vessels in the world.

More than $100,000,000 of the company's authorized capital stock of $120,000,000 has been issued. J. P. Morgan & Co. are large stockholders. Mr. Morgan is a director of the company. The company's funded debt is approximately $70,000,000 and is made up of two issues of bonds, the big issue on which interest has been defaulted and an issue of $17,860,000 first mortgage five per cent bonds of the International Navigation Co.

The interest on the $52,744,000 bond issue was due October 1, but a saving clause in the bonds gave the company six months grace in which to make payment. This term of grace expired April 1, last Thursday.

No steamships were directly operated in the Trans-Atlantic service by the company, their operation being left to subsidiary corporations. The company directed the operation of the White Star line, the Red Star line, the Atlantic Transport Co., the Leyland line and the Dominion line. The last company should not be confused with the Old Dominion line which operates coastwise steamers between the city and Virginia ports.

DEATHS

GIROUX—C. Josephat Giroux, aged 43 years, 6 months and 21 days, died this afternoon at his home, 500 Moody street. He leaves a wife, two daughters, Yvette and Jeanne; his father, Desire of Berthierville; four brothers, Louis and Camille of Montreal, Que., Dr. J. Raymond Giroux of Lynnwood, Mass., and Edouard of Berthier, Que.; a sister, Mrs. Lavallee of Berthier. He was a member of Court St. Antoine, C. O. F.

GAGNON—Mrs. Edouard Gagnon, nee Emma Tougas, aged 38 years, 3 months and 9 days, died this afternoon at her home, 154 Merrimack street. She leaves her husband; a daughter, Anna; two brothers, Rene and Eugene; a sister, Antoinette, and her mother, all in Beverly.

OPWENOSKI—Mrs. Joseph Opwenoski, aged 28 years, died today at the Lowell hospital. The body was removed to the home, 33 Lakeview avenue.

FUNERALS

ST. SAUVEUR—The funeral of Mrs. Marie S. Sauveur took place this morning from her home, 11 Read street, at 11 o'clock. The bearers were John and Omer St. Sauveur, Wilfrid Coutu and D. Hathaway. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

HADLEY—The funeral of Charles R. Hadley took place this afternoon. At 2 o'clock services were conducted in the chapel of Undertakers Young & Blake by Rev. Dr. C. E. Fisher, pastor of the First Universalist church. Among the floral offerings were a pillow inscribed "Husband," wife; wreath inscribed "Charles" from George and Carrie. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

REPORT OF DEATHS

For the Week Ending April 3, 1915

Mar.
26—Arceno Farlo, 9 m., laryn. diphtheria.
Edith R. McCusker, 1, cap. bronchitis.
Michael B. Tobin, 71, chr. nephritis.
Walter Boudreau, 2 m., con. debility.
Thomas Hayes, 46, disease of liver.
27—Patrick O'Brien, 64, cer. hemorrhage.
Satirio Geanarakos, 9 m., broncho-pneumonia.
David H. Bradt, 74, broncho-pneumonia.
J. Frank O'Brien, 48, cer. hemorrhage.
Anthony Carpos, 1, broncho-pneumonia.
Marie B. Follard, 1, bronchitis.
28—Joseph Lowe, 59, cirrhosis of liver.
Dora Lessard, 1 m., bronchitis.
Florence Michaud, 5 m., broncho-pneumonia.
Mary Sheehan, 15 d., broncho-pneumonia.
Margaret A. Dallagher, 55, chr. valv. heart disease.
Joseph Craig, 54, pulm. tuberculosis.
Joseph E. Aubry, 2 d., congenital debility.
Florence I. Bolton, 1 m., pneumonia.
Delia McMahon, 34, lob. pneumonia.
29—Arthur R. Moody, 11 m., broncho-pneumonia.
Thomas F. Duhig, 53, arterio-sclerosis.
George N. Buchanan, 21, empyema of the lung.
John McDermott, 66, pneumonia.
30—Sarah M. Elliott, 80, myocarditis.
Stanislaw Mathiewicz, 6 m., broncho-pneumonia.
Mohamed Magahad, 22, gen. tuberculosis.
Frank Ferreira, 9 m., pertussis.
Ruby I. Mansur, 18, chr. nephritis.
Benjamin Page, 73, oedema of lungs.
Henry Pratt, 78, diabetes mellitus.
31—Catherine R. Benson, 73, arterio-sclerosis.
Jane Eardley, 92, ac. lob. pneumonia.
Mary St. Sauveur, 74, cer. hemorrhage.
Marie E. Dubois, 1, diarrhoea.
April
1—Theodore Pelletier, 31 accident.
Frank Apostolos, 9 m., mil. tuberculosis.
Charles R. Hadley, 76, cer. hemorrhage.
2—Elias Charette, 31, lob. pneumonia.

Stephen Flynn, City Clerk.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SWISS SINGER THINKS SWOBODA IS INNOCENT

GENEVA, April 3.—Flora Treischler, a Swiss singer whose home is in this city and who is a warm friend of Raymond Swoboda, declared yesterday she believed the man accused of causing the fire aboard the steamer La Touraine is the victim of "an odious plot or terrible mistake."

"I have known Mr. Swoboda for six years,' she said. "I knew he was engaged in commercial and financial affairs but did not know the details for he never discussed his business affairs. He belongs to a wealthy New York family but his father cut off his allowance after several disagreements. One of his brothers is serving now as an interpreter with a British cavalry regiment.

"My friend never belonged to the German or the Austrian army. He still has relatives in Germany and may have been photographed in uniform in some of them.

"I know Mr. Swoboda closed an important deal to introduce in France a number of American products. The five trunks found in his Paris office contained samples. He intended also to make an effort to establish a business in Switzerland for he wrote me asking what were the prospects and where certain articles were likely to have the best sale.

"I received a letter from him which had been written aboard the Touraine telling what a narrow escape the ship had had. He gave a long description of the fire, which he said the officers believed must have been caused by an infernal machine placed in the hold."

MADE AUTOMOBILE TRIPS

PARIS, April 3.—Several automobile trips into the French provinces were made by Raymond Swoboda, now under arrest, charged with being responsible for the fire aboard the steamship La Touraine, according to information received by the Petit Journal. These journeys are said to have been made at various times between August and December last. Swoboda is said to have been seen at Nantes, Tours and Chatellerault among other places. The police now are trying to learn the purpose of these trips. A large government firearms factory is located at Chatellerault.

NO ALUM in CLEVELAND'S SUPERIOR BAKING POWDER

BIG FUNERAL PARADE ON DEATH OF CHRIST

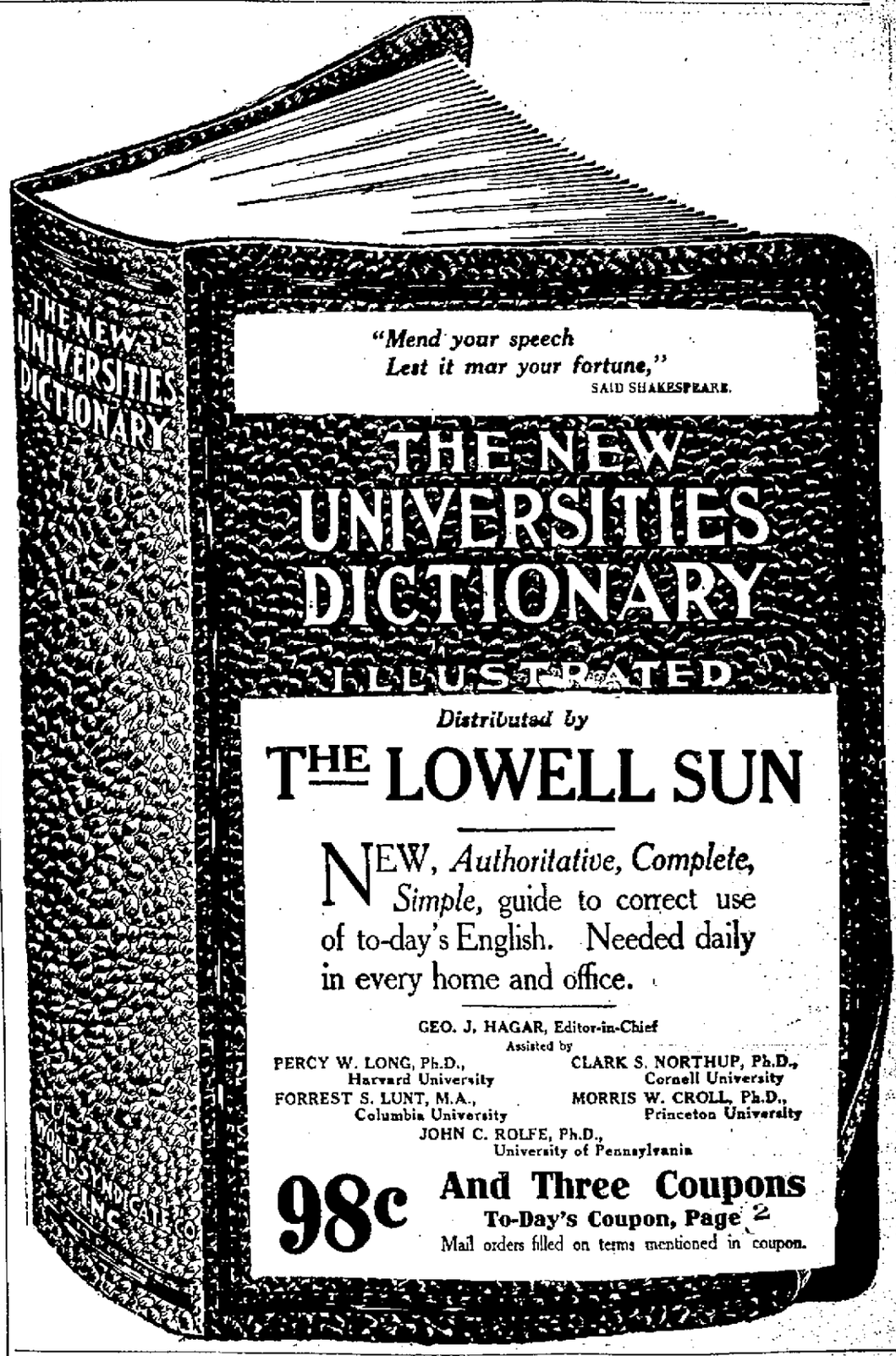
The members of the Greek Orthodox church in Jefferson street observed the feast of Good Friday last night with special services in the church, followed by a procession through the Greek colony, in which the "Epitaphios" or honorary casket supposed to contain the body of Christ, was carried by eight men of the parish.

The services started at 7.30 o'clock and were attended by thousands of men, women and children. The "Epitaphios" had been placed in the centre of the church under a canopy of beautiful flowers, and while the faithful gathered in solemn veneration. The church was beautifully illuminated for the occasion and each member of the congregation held a lighted taper in his hand typical of the new light dawning upon the world in the resurrection of Christ.

At the close of the services, which consisted of the recitation of prayers and the singing of dirges, the congregation left the church and assembled in the street for a procession. The Sixth regiment band headed the line and played Chopin's "Marche Funebra," while in the rear came the "Epitaphios" borne by eight men of the parish. The pastor, Rev. Nestor Sousilis followed escorted by altar boys, swinging censors. The Greek Holy regiment came next and following them were thousands of worshippers, who carried lighted tapers, while the rear end of the line was taken up by the Philarmonic band and the church choir.

The procession wended its way through Jefferson, Lewis, Market, Adams, Cross and Jefferson streets into the church. Along the route the usual lights in homes and coffee houses were extinguished and lighted tapers decorated the windows. At the close of the procession the floral canopy was torn to pieces by the congregation and pelals of roses or other flowers were carried home for souvenirs.

Special services were held in the church this morning and tomorrow the great feast of Easter will be observed in a fitting manner.



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MRS. RAY'S LOW COST MENUS

Housekeepers are Advised to Cut These Menus Out for Use During the Coming Week

SUNDAY

Breakfast—Bananas—Baked Sausage—Baked Potatoes—Spider Corn Bread—Coffee.

Dinner—Mushroom Soup—Roast Beef with Yorkshire Muffins—Boiled Sweet Potatoes—String Beans—Stuffed Apple Salad—Madeira Pudding.

Supper—Codfish Wiggle—Pear Sauce—Cream Puffs—Cocoa.

Breakfast

SPIDER CORN BREAD—Cream two eggs with two tablespoons of sugar. Add two cups of milk, a cup and a half of corn meal and a quarter of a cup of milk, but do not stir. Bake half an hour. When done it should be like custard on top.

Dinner

MUSHROOM SOUP—Boil three cups of milk with one cup of water and thicken with a tablespoon of flour. Add half a can of chopped mushrooms and boil one minute longer.

YORKSHIRE MUFFINS—Mix two cups of flour with three eggs and a cup and three-quarters of milk. Half an hour before the roast beef is done turn into the pan with roast and bake.

STUFFED APPLE SALAD—Pare and core the apples, cut in thick slices and fill with chopped dates and nuts:

MADEIRA PUDDING — Chop fine half a pound of suet, mix with two cups of bread crumbs, half a cup of sugar, the same of flour, two eggs, and two glasses of sherry. Boil hard four hours and serve with a sauce made by blending equal parts of butter and sugar and adding a little sherry.

Supper

CODFISH WIGGLE—Freshen a cup of codfish and boil one minute. Add two cups of milk, a tablespoon of butter, and the same of flour. Boil one minute and then add half a can of peas and let all come to a boil.

MONDAY

Breakfast—Cream of Wheat with Dates—Baked Eggs—Toast—Coffee.

Luncheon—Chicken Stew—Swiss Fondu—Toast—Pear Sauce—Tea.

Dinner—Spanish Soup—Boston Oyster Pie—Fried Celery—Parker House Rolls—Fruit Salad—Mince Pie and cheese

Breakfast

BAKED EGGS—Separate as many eggs as you desire to serve, saving yolks whole. Four whites of six eggs add one even teaspoon baking powder and beat dry. Butter gem pans or any moulds, divide the white mixture to correspond to the number of yolks. Put the white part in the molds, then drop the yolks (whole) in center of white, sprinkle with salt and pepper, dot with bits of butter and bake brown.

Luncheon

CHICKEN STEW—Cut all the meat from the chicken and cover the bones with cold water. Add one onion and simmer two hours. Then strain, return to the fire, add the meat, season, and serve without straining.

SWISS FONDU—Cut into small and thin slices half pound of Swiss cheese. Place in pan half cup of milk, a teaspoon of Worcesterchire sauce and the cheese. Stir until the cheese is melted and then add one beaten egg, whip half a minute, and serve on thin strips of buttered toast.

Dinner

SPANISH SOUP—Chop enough red and green peppers to make three tablespoons. Melt two tablespoons of butter and the same of flour, when smooth and the peppers and stir five minutes. Then add three cups of water (or soup stock), two cups of tomatoes. Cover and boil twenty minutes. Strain and add half a cup of boiled macaroni.

BOSTON OYSTER PIE—Boil three large potatoes and slice when done. Boil one minute one quart of oysters in their own liquor, then place a layer of the sliced potatoes and butter. Continue until the dish is full and pour over the oyster broth and a little melted butter. Cover with a rich pie crust and bake in a moderate oven three-quarters of an hour.

FRIED CELERY—Mix two cups of flour, two teaspoons of baking powder and a cup and a half of milk, two eggs a tablespoon of butter, and half a teaspoon of salt. Cut the celery in pieces four inches long and boil 20 minutes. Dip in the batter and fry in deep, boiling fat.

TUESDAY

Breakfast—Oranges — Old Fashioned Omelet—Re-heated Rolls—Coffee.

Luncheon—Mexican Rabbit—Toast—Stewed Figs—Cocoa—Hermits.

Dinner — Puree of Carrots—Baked Veal Chops—Baked Sweet Potatoes—Fried Bananas—Lettuce with Delmonico Dressing—German Prune Pudding.

Breakfast

OLD FASHIONED OMELET — Beat three eggs, add three tablespoons of milk, a teaspoon of cornstarch, and a little salt. Butter a frying pan and, when hot, turn in enough of the mixture to well cover the bottom. When brown, fold and lay on a hot platter. Continue until the mixture is all used. Serve piping hot with a tablespoon of melted butter poured over all.

Luncheon

MEXICAN RABBIT—Slice one onion and fry until brown in a little butter. Pour in a can of tomatoes, season, boil ten minutes, and add two eggs well beaten. Serve on squares of buttered toast.

HERMITS—Mix a cup and a half of sugar, a cup of shortening, two eggs, a cup of chopped raisins, a teaspoon of soda dissolved in half a cup of water and flour enough to roll. Cut with a small cookie cutter and bake.

Dinner

PUREE OF CARROTS—Fry brown in butter one cup of chopped raw carrots. Add water to cover, simmer until soft, add six cups of stock and thicken with two beaten eggs. Serve at once.

FRIED BANANAS—Peel and cut in half lengthwise, fry in butter until brown, turn and fry on the other side. Before serving, add a little lemon juice.

DELMONICO DRESSING—Chop fine, one hard boiled egg, and mix with a teaspoon each of tomato catsup and Worcestershire sauce. Then add a tablespoon of chopped red peppers and two tablespoons each of oil and tarragon vinegar.

GERMAN PRUNE PUDDING—Boil and mash prunes enough to make a cup, add half a cup of sugar, a quarter of a teaspoon of cinnamon, the juice of half a lemon and a teaspoon of grated lemon rind. Make a biscuit dough a little richer than for biscuits, roll out, place in a baking pan, cover with the prune mixture and bake. Serve cold with cream.

WEDNESDAY

Breakfast—Grapefruit— Tripe— Potato Chips—Buckwheat Griddle Cakes—Coffee.

Luncheon—Egg Salad, Boiled Dressing—Bread and Butter—Apple Sauce—Cocoa.

Dinner—Pea Soup—Broiled Steak Potatoes Stuffed With Cheese—Buttered Beets—Lima Bean Salad—Orange Short Cake.

Breakfast

BUCKWHEAT GRIDDLE CAKES:—Mix two cups of buckwheat flour with two cups of milk, and two teaspoons each of sugar and baking powder. Bake in small cakes on a hot well-greased griddle.

Luncheon

EGG SALAD:—Cut hard boiled eggs in quarters and serve on crisp lettuce with a boiled dressing. For the dressing mix in the following order: A tablespoon of sugar, a tablespoon of salad oil, a teaspoon of dry mustard, the same of cornstarch. Add salt and pepper. Stir until smooth. Add three-fourths of a cup of salad oil, one-third of a cup of tarragon vinegar, three tablespoons of common vinegar and the beaten yolks of three eggs. Boil until thick, stirring all the time.

Dinner

POTATOES STUFFED WITH CHEESE:—Bake the potatoes until soft, cut in half scoop out the inside, mash, add butter, a little milk, a cup of grated cheese, and refill the skins. Sprinkle the top with grated cheese and return to the oven to brown.

LIMA BEAN SALAD:—Chill two cups of cooked beans, add a tablespoon of prepared horseradish, and seasoning. Serve on lettuce with a French dressing.

ORANGE SHORTCAKE:—Cream a tablespoon each of lard and butter with four cups of flour, two teaspoons of baking powder and a little salt. Bake in a round tin and, when done, cut in half, spread with plenty of butter and sliced oranges and sprinkle with sugar.

THURSDAY

Breakfast—Baked Apples — Beet Hash—Graham Gems—Coffee.

Luncheon—Sardine Rabbit—Re-heated Graham Gems—Cake—Cocoa.

Dinner—Rice Soup—Roast Pork—Potato Sticks—Parsnip Cakes—Cold Slaw—Date Cake—Cheese—Coffee.

Breakfast

BEET HASH:—Boil thirty minutes all the pieces of steak left, add an equal amount of potatoes and half a cup of beets. Chop fine, and fry brown in butter.

GRAHAM GEMS:—Mix two cups of sour milk, three tablespoons of molasses, two teaspoons of soda, two-thirds of a cup of flour, and two cups of graham flour. Bake in gem pans in a quick oven.

Luncheon

SARDINE RABBIT:—Melt one cup of cheese, add a little butter, half a cup of milk, and one beaten egg. Stir into this a can of sardines freed of skin and bones. Cook one minute and serve on crisp crackers.

Dinner

RICE SOUP:—Cook a cup of rice four hours in two quarts of water. Strain and serve with a teaspoon of rice in each cup.

POTATO STICKS:—Pare raw potatoes and slice in thin strips lengthwise. Lay in cold water half an hour, drain and fry in deep boiling fat.

PARSNIP CAKES:—Cook in salted water forty-five minutes, pare and mash. Add butter, pepper and salt, and form into small flat cakes. Roll in flour and fry in butter.

DATE CAKE:—Mix one cup of sugar the same of sour milk, two cups of flour, two tablespoons of butter, and two cups of chopped and pitted dates. Bake one hour in a slow oven.

FRIDAY

Breakfast—Sliced Bananas, Lemon Juice—Boiled Eggs—Fried Wheatena—Buttered Toast—Coffee.

Luncheon — Crab Meat, Tomato—Daraway Bread—Canned Strawberries—Cake—Tea.

Dinner — Clam Bisque—Fried Cod, Tartar Sauce—Mashed Potatoes—Creamed Onions—Prune and Nut Salad—Lemon Meringue Pie.

Breakfast

FRIED WHEATENA—Boil ten minutes a cup of wheatena in six cups of boiling water. Turn into a wetted mold to harden. Cut in slices and fry brown. Serve with honey.

Luncheon

CRAB MEAT WITH TOMATO—Mix a can of crab meat with a cup of bread crumbs, a cup of tomatoes, the garted rind of a lemon, the juice of one lemon, and a glass of sherry. Turn into a dish and bake 15 minutes.

CARAWAY BREAD—Scald two cups of milk and add two tablespoons each of butter and sugar. When lukewarm, add a yeast cake dissolved in a cup of warm water, two tablespoons of caraway seeds, and six cups of rye flour. Let rise to twice its bulk, shape in loaves, let rise again, and bake.

Dinner

CLAM BISQUE—Boil a quart of milk with three slices of onion one hour. Cream a tablespoon of butter, add flour, stir until smooth, add to the milk and boil. Chop a quart of clams, bring to a quick boil and add to the milk. Serve at once with a tablespoon of whipped cream on top of each cup.

CREAMED ONIONS—Cover with cold water and boil until tender. Drain and pour over a sauce made by blending a tablespoon of butter and flour added to two cups of milk. Boil until thick. Cook the onions in the milk one minute.

PRUNE AND NUT SALAD—Pit cooked prunes and fill with chopped nuts. Serve on lettuce with a French dressing.

LEMON MERINGUE PIE—Make the pie crust from a cup and a half of flour, big half cup of lard, and a small cup of ice water. Roll and bake. Fill with this mixture: One cup of sugar, a heaping dessert spoon of dry cornstarch, a cup of water, juice of two lemons, the grated rind of one and the yolks of three eggs. Boil until it thickens. Pour into the baked crust, beat the whites stiff, drop by spoonfuls, and brown in the oven.

SATURDAY

Breakfast—Oranges—Broiled Bacon—Fried Potatoes—Eggless Muffins—Coffee.

Luncheon — Corn Fritters—Cheese Toast—Sauce—Tea.

Dinner—Quick Potato Soup—Cold Roast Pork—Whipped Potato—Turnip—Maryland Salad—Cranberry Pie.

Breakfast

EGGLESS MUFFINS—Mix two cups of flour with two teaspoons of baking powder, three teaspoons of sugar, and one cup of milk. Bake in a quick oven.

Luncheon

CORN FRITTERS—Mix two cups of corn with half a cup of milk, half a cup of flour, one egg, a tablespoon of melted butter and a teaspoon and a half of baking powder. Drop in boiling fat by small spoonfuls.

CHEESE TOAST—Mix a cup of cheese with a tablespoon of butter, and a teaspoon of dry mustard. Spread on buttered toast and place in the oven until the cheese melts.

Dinner

QUICK POTATO SOUP—Cut enough raw potatoes to make a cup and a half. Boil in a quart of milk ten minutes, season and serve.

WHIPPED POTATOES—Boil and mash, add a little milk and butter and whip five minutes with an egg beater. Pile as light as possible and dot with pieces of butter.

MARYLAND SALAD — Chop four sweet red peppers, add one cream cheese and half a cup of chopped cabbage. Pour over a dressing made from four tablespoons of olive oil, two of vinegar and one of chili sauce.

CRANBERRY PIE—Boil until soft two cups of cranberries, a cup of sugar and one cup of water. Line a pie plate with a rich pie crust, add the cranberries, cut strips of crust and lay on top to form small squares. Bake in a moderate oven.

MORE TROUBLE BREWING

TEACHERS' BILLS ARE HELD UP —MEN AND WOMEN AT ODDS ON PENSION PLANS

BOSTON, April 3.—Trouble is brewing between the women teachers in the elementary grades of the Boston schools and the men and women teachers who are receiving the higher salaries.

The difficulty is over the Boston teachers' pension bills now before the legislature. So bitter is the fight becoming that the pension bills have been all held up in the senate.

Object of the Bills

The elementary teachers presented bills in the legislature this year authorizing the appropriation of 5 cents more of the tax rate for their pension fund. The men teachers and such women as are receiving the higher salaries backed a bill to increase the maximum pension from $600 to $1000 a year.

All three bills went to the senate for action first.

The men's bill was put on the table to await the passage of the women's bill.

Then Mayor Curley and the women teachers reached a compromise, and instead of the women's bill a new bill was substituted whereby an additional appropriation of 2 cents of the tax rate would be provided for pensions.

This stirred up the men teachers, who began to fear that the increase provided in the compromise bill would not be sufficient to cover the proposed increase in the pension limit.

Yesterday the women's bill came up for a third reading in the senate. The senate voted to postpone action on it until next Wednesday. This piqued the women, who blamed the postponement on the men. Some of the women's representatives think it "real mean" of the men to try and hold up their bill. The men want the women to agree to the increase in the maximum amount of pensions. The women take the ground that the pension fund cannot stand the proposed increase.

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"I am right at home on that subject," responded Marie. "Madame insists on my making all her bread so I guess I must be an expert."

"Oh, tell me how, Marie," exclaimed Marjorie as she brightened up.

"Well, in the first place," began the French maid, "you must know that temperature has everything to do with successful bread making. In warm weather, or in winter, when the house is well heated, so that the average room temperature is from seventy-five to eightyfour degrees, bread may be mixed in the morning, put to rise for three hours, formed into loaves, allowed to rise for another hour, and finished early in the afternoon.

"In the spring and fall, when the furnace is out and the atmospheric heat is less than seventy-five degrees, the rising may take so long that it is best to make the sponge, or mixture containing the yeast, over night. On the other hand, bread dough which is rising should never be put too near a fire or otherwise be overheated; the bowl in which it is placed should never feel too warm to the hand.

"When bread is made with a patent mixer, all that is necessary is to follow the exact directions given by the manufacturer. A mixer saves time on the kneading, and may be utilized for more than one kind of bread. Many people however, cling to hand-kneading methods, and the directions in this article apply to those.

"Select any good high-grade patent flour and always use that kind. You will soon get used to it and know what to expect, how much liquid it takes, how long before it responds to the yeast, and how it ought to look. Use only enough flour in kneading to take the stickiness from the dough; when that has been accomplished do not add more flour at any time. The liquid should be lukewarm when the yeast goes in.

"Punching down or cutting through with a knife, after three hours' rising, is usually but not always done; this affords a chance for a second rising before the bread dough is formed into loaves. A soft dough makes a tender bread, which will keep moist longer than a stiff, floury mixture. The baking should be done in a moderate oven which is carefully watched and slacked off toward the end of the baking.

"The dough should rise during the first fifteen minutes, then begin and continue to brown for the next half-hour. If a gas oven is used, the bread may remain in it for the final quarter of an hour with both burners turned off. Biscuits and all baking-powder breads require much more heat, as quick baking is necessary for success with them."

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NOTICE TO ABUTTERS

Office of Commissioner of Streets and Highways, Lowell, Mass., March 27, 1915.

The city is about to macadamize the following streets:

Gorham street from Lowell & Andover railroad crossing to Cosgrove street.

Chelmsford street from Victoria street to city line.

Powell street from Liberty street to Chelmsford street.

High street from East Merrimack street to Rogers street.

Rogers street from High street to Boylston street.

The city is about to pave the following streets:

Dutton street from Broadway to Fletcher street.

Dutton street from Dutton avenue to Willie street.

Elm street from Gorham street to Central street.

Hale street from Howard street to Lincoln Square.

Fletcher street from Pawtucket canal to Worthen street.

Thorndike street from Pawtucket canal to Middlesex street.

Pawtucket street from Merrimack street to Moody street.

First street from Bridge street to head street.

East Merrimack street from High street to Nesmith street.

Branch street from Nichols street to Smith street.

In consequence of which it is desirable that all persons who contemplate the digging up of any of the streets mentioned above, for the purposes of making sewer, gas or water connections or for any other purpose whatsoever, do so at once, as under the provisions of the city ordinances, no permit will be given to disturb the surface of said streets, for a period of five years, after said improvements are completed, except as otherwise provided in the city ordinances.

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THE FRUITS OF NEGLECT

Once again Lowell has been reaping unwelcome notoriety throughout Massachusetts on account of our unpardonable neglect of the demands of the state with regard to the erection of a contagious hospital. We have been long regarded in state and civic circles of health workers as criminally negligent, and local movements that are striving to bring about better conditions have been met with the accusation that Lowell is regarded all over Massachusetts as "the blot on the map." It now looks as though we will be forced to build a contagious hospital whether we wish it or not, and things are coming to a state which must be very distasteful to certain local officials on whom the responsibility for present conditions falls.

Last Thursday the annual meeting and conference of the Massachusetts Anti-Tuberculosis League was held in Boston, attended by medical and social service experts. The exercises, which were very fully reported in the Boston papers, included addresses by Dr. Allen J. McLaughlin, the famous state commissioner of health; Dr. Bowditch of Boston, president of the association; Dr. John B. Hawes, and other noted physicians and health experts. Practically every speech had some reference to Lowell, directly or indirectly. If there were any persons present unfamiliar with this city, they were justified in thinking that Lowell is a nursery of contagious disease and that our officials are absolutely indifferent to the health conditions of the city.

Dr. McLaughlin spoke more particularly on the discovery and treatment of tuberculosis in its incipient stages—an impossibility in Lowell under present conditions, but a more direct accusation was contained in parts of the address made by Dr. Hawes who referred to local conditions in most unflattering terms. According to Dr. Hawes, the balance of the cities of Massachusetts without tuberculosis hospitals have a population of 553,000, "and Lowell with a total of 106,000, heads this list."

It was in no mere spirit of empty criticism that these accusations were made against Lowell but with the consciousness that the state is about to force us to do what we have flagrantly neglected to do. The state health authorities have just sent a pointed warning to the mayor of Lowell telling him in no uncertain terms that Sept. 1 will be the limit of time allowed this city in which to comply with the state laws. As the statute which calls for the erection of a contagious hospital provides for a heavy penalty, we can no longer doubt that Lowell must either have started a contagious hospital by Sept. 1 or must be prepared to take the consequences. We have set ourselves in open defiance of the laws of the state, and the state will win. Do our commissioners doubt it?

This is an excellent time for some Lowell officials to ask themselves what they have gained by their neglect of this question. The selection of a hospital site is a rather unpopular proceeding, but it must be faced, and that soon. When the action of the previous municipal council was nullified, our officials crowed at their temporary triumph or what they considered such. They failed to see that sooner or later the matter would have to be again faced, and that they would have to meet the unpleasantness all over again. Now, they must see that their opposition to the state law was a losing game and even a political mistake. It is with very bad grace they will now be compelled to undo what they have done and select a contagious hospital site at the dictation of determined state authorities.

The ignoring of state demands has been a poor advertisement for Lowell, but there is no use crying over spilt milk. We must bear as patiently as we may the charge that we have blocked progress, that we have criminally neglected to care for many of our diseased citizens properly, that we have made a ludicrous stand against superior authority, that we have been "the blot on the map." We cannot even complain when we are quoted as an illustration of absolute neglect at meetings such as that of Boston last Thursday, but in justice to our municipal reputation we must remember that it is not the Lowell people who are to blame, but a few Lowell officials.

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Listen you six million people of New England! We, the directors of your hundreds of mills and factories would have a little word with you. You know in what dark and uncertain days our industries were founded and how many years of effort it took to place them on the proud pinnacle they now hold. Well, another day of opportunity has come, which, if taken advantage of to the full, will make New England the star to which industrial and commercial America must hitch its wagons. When New England prospers, you will prosper; its interests are your interests. Listen, then, to what we ask you to do, and act upon it.

When you go to the store in a few days for some clothing, for shoes, for a set of parlor furniture, for some kitchen utensils, for anything whatsoever, ask for a New England product. There is scarcely an article made in the world of industry which is not made in New England. Our great textile industries are famous the world over; our shoe shops supply the markets of all nations; our machine shops furnish machinery for the greatest engineering feats of modern times. Yet, we have thousands of little factories and shops that give employment to tens of thousands of your sons and daughters. These mills and factories great and small depend on public patronage for their support. You, undoubtedly, earnestly hope that this patronage will grow all over the earth until all our mill wheels and belts revolve merrily, full time and overtime. You can do more than that. You can help prosperity along by purchasing New England products whenever possible.

When you spend a dollar for a New England product, you keep a dollar at home. When you spend twenty dollars for New England products, you multiply the good twenty times. Money thus kept at home is put in circulation at home. It comes back to you in wages, in the returns from your own business, in the returns you receive from the expenditure of public moneys. Be a booster of New England products by all means, but first of all, be a buyer. Help New England and New England will help you.

MORE CONFIDENCE SHOWN

The best and most significant news item published for many weeks is that the New York stock exchange has at last decided to operate without any restrictions. Following the outbreak of the war, it was compelled to close to avert possible panic and after a long period of inactivity opened with certain necessary restrictions. Now it is operating as before the war. This points to fundamental soundness in this country, for unless there was a decided spirit of optimism based on fact, the New York stock exchange would not commence unrestricted operations. Evidently the fear that Europe will dump American securities on our markets has passed.

It has also been stated in financial journals that several large foreign credits have been established in New York to facilitate the trading of foreign countries with our farmers and manufacturers. J. P. Morgan went to London on a business mission a few days ago, and within a short time it is certain that vast stores of European gold will be flowing into the coffers of this country. This does not mean only the money paid for war munitions, but for every commodity that America has for sale; the crippling of foreign sources of supply must of a necessity open many new markets to us abroad.

The steel trade is still reporting progress, and so is the copper industry. We have proof that the textile industry is booming. Our wheat and cotton situations have been satisfactorily met, and time is improving every branch of trade that felt complete or partial stagnation after the outbreak of war. The crippling of imports has destroyed the tariff arguments of opponents of the administration, and the country is manifesting a general spirit to look with confidence to the future. There is still considerable unemployment and suffering, but the country seems to be expecting a speedy restoration of normal conditions.

HAPPY EASTER TIME

Dawn comes after the darkness, peace follows the storm. Easter crowns the passion-tide. Long ago did it happen, but every year we see its renewal; once again the heart throws away the cerements of doubt, and sees the brightness of spiritual revival. Who is there that has not sometime or other been thrilled by the beautiful story of the holy women who stole in the early morn to the tomb in which they had laid their Lord and found not death but immortality? Who is there that has not seen it all in spirit—the gaping grave, the lily paths where He talked with Magdalen and the heavenly messenger who said: "He is not here; He hath risen as He said?"

Long ago did it happen indeed, but for those of lively faith it will happen again tomorrow. We may not see the yawning grave or the brightness of the Glorified God, but in everything we will see the birth of new life that speaks of Him. In tree and twig and flower is a response to the call of life. Little blades of grass pierce the enlivened earth like soldier spears; rivulets melt their icy barriers and ring woodland chimes; all nature has heard the resurrection story and is glad. Gone are the purples of the passion, the shadows of penitential Lent, the chilling bonds of winter. It is a time of swelling song, of triumphant alleluiahs of bells and of lilies. It is the time of Easter, triumphant over pain and death, the dawn of glorious immortality.

Many have been the Easters since that wondrous one of Galilee, but never did the world need its message more than now. Pain and sorrow have written their message on myriads of hearts, and dismal is the hoary earth with the horrors of fratricidal strife. Darkness greater than that of the grave hangs like a funereal pall on the nations, and the songs of the angels of the resurrection are drowned out by the thundering of cannon. Yet, Christ is risen and hope is not dead. After the time of passion will dawn again a world Easter morn and the spirit of Christ will shine resplendent on a sadder but wiser world.

The death of Baron Rothschild removed a famous member of a famous family, members of which have had a greater part in shaping the destinies of nations than kings and princes. The rise of the Rothschilds reads like a fairy tale, and their power—once at least—was felt in every corner of the earth. It has even been said that they could make or prevent wars at will, but recent events leave this in doubt.

Commissioner Ward of the insanity board adds his testimony to that of many others who declare that there is an alarming amount of feeble-mindedness in Massachusetts, though this will not justify undue suspicion of one's neighbor. His address in this city was another argument in favor of prevention rather than cure.

The women who indignantly left the senate galleries because certain bills in which they were interested were held over have yet to learn that the word of a politician is one of the most elastic things known to science. Would votes for women improve matters?

Do not delay too long in calling for a dictionary. Three Sun coupons and 98c will get you one now, and you will never have a better opportunity.

The city that has not had money enough to do many necessary things cannot well approve of a military celebration costing $8,000. It is not the time nor the place for such an event, and its postponement would be wise.

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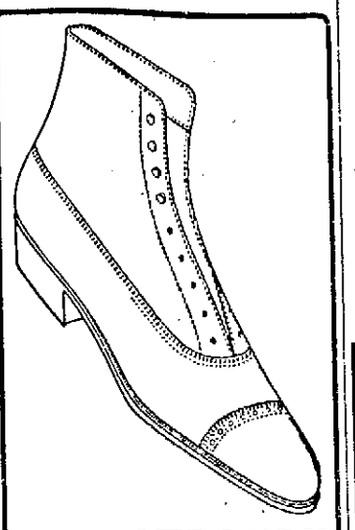

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HELD UNION SERVICE

A union Good Friday service was held last evening in the Kirk Street Congregational church. Rev. C. A. Lincoln had charge and the church choir gave several selections appropriate to the day. The Beatitudes, and the last words of Christ upon the cross, taken in connection one with the other, furnished the themes for the speakers, who were Rev. A. C. Ferrin, Rev. E. H. Newcomb, Rev. F. G. Alger, Rev. Raymond G. Clapp and Rev. H. A. Barker. The attendance was large.

JUDGE STEVENS TO PRESIDE

Word was received here today that Judge Stevens will preside at the April sitting of the civil session of superior court which opens at the court house on Gorham street Monday morning at 10 o'clock. After the opening of court the clerk will read over the list so that the cases may be assigned for trial. Counsel should be prepared at that time to inform the court as to the likelihood of actual trial during this session and when their cases will be ready to open.

WASHINGTON AND CALIFORNIA

Henry H. Harris, master of the Varnum school, has booked 35 people for his Washington tour, which goes Friday night, April 23. Accommodations for a limited number still remain, but it will be wise for any others thinking of going to make early application, as hotel and steamboat facilities are always overtaxed the last week in April. Circulars of this tour and of the summer tour to the Panama-Pacific exposition, which leaves June 29, will be sent on application to 93 Eleventh street.

CENSUS ENUMERATORS

The 58 census enumerators, who were recently appointed after taking an examination, will begin work in this city Monday morning and these men will be in charge of Alexis Fecteau, the local inspector for this work.

Some of the men will cover their territory in two weeks, while others will be busy for three or four weeks.

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George "Babe" Rogers, William O'Donnell, Walter Clough, George Kerwin, Sam Cassin, Law Rogers, Warren Rogers, Jerry Longley, John Riley, Charles Sadlier and other well known cabaret performers will appear as soloists in the annual musical treat to be conducted by the Samoset club at Lincoln hall on Monday evening. Dancing will be indulged in from 8 to 12 and Miner's orchestra will furnish the music. Other innovations will be on the boards and a highly enjoyable evening is promised all who attend.

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DOPE ON COMING FIGHT

How the Two Men Size Up—Local Man Picks Willard as the Probable Winner

IN WORLD'S CHAMPIONSHIP BATTLE

JESS WILLARD	JACK JOHNSON
Height—6 feet 6 inches.	Height—6 feet ½ inch.
Reach—83½ inches.	Reach—75½ inches.
Neck—17¼ inches.	Neck—17 inches.
Wrist—8¼ inches.	Wrist—8¼ inches.
Forearm—14 inches.	Forearm—12⅞ inches.
Biceps (relaxed)—14½ inches.	Biceps (relaxed)—14¼ inches.
Biceps (tense)—16 inches.	Biceps (tense)—15½ inches.
Chest—44 inches.	Chest 42 inches.
Chest (expanded)—46½ inches.	Chest (expanded)—44½ inches.
Waist—36½ inches.	Waist—38 inches.
Thigh—25 inches.	Thigh—26½ inches.
Calf—16¾ inches.	Calf—16 inches.
Ankle—9½ inches.	Ankle—11 inches.
Born December 29, 1887, in Pottawatomie county, Kansas.	Born March 31, 1878, Galveston, Texas.
First bout, Feb. 15, 1911. Lost on foul to Louis Fink.	First bout May 6, 1899. Lost to Klondike in Chicago in five rounds.

In Havana today the odds have shifted to between 2-1 and 5-3 on the battle next Monday which will go down in the world's ring history as a contest between two of the greatest giants which the glove game ever produced with Johnson on the long end naturally. The only unnatural thing about it is that Johnson isn't a bigger favorite down in Cuba. In New York, although the Willard men have grown a trifle bolder, the odds still hover between 3-1 and 9-4.

Thus far there has been but little money wagered on the coming championship battle. The reason for this can be ascribed to several reasons. The present shortage of cash is one very sufficient reason why the betting is low. Then the fact that the battle is to be staged on foreign soil is another supposition. But the real reason why more money is not put up on the outcome of the contest is probably the public's almost total ignorance of what either man can do when they step into the ring Monday.

Moran Fight No Criterion

Johnson was 37 years old the 31st of last month. That's a pretty old man to be pitted against a man nine years his junior. Johnson's last fight was with Frank Moran which went twenty rounds to a decision for the champion.

The critics who watched Johnson in the Moran battle have never been able to satisfy themselves on one point—whether or not the Galveston black really extended himself in that affair. Moran couldn't hit the champion, he was too clever for him, but at the same time Johnson failed to show that he could go up against a hard hitter and last out 45 rounds of milling. So that the Moran fight can hardly be a criterion of Johnson's fighting ability.

Will Be a Fight

There seems to be but little doubt in the minds of any of those who are versed in glove lore but what Monday's affair will be a fight. Forty-five three minute rounds is a long time to face an opponent who is looking for your scalp. Two hours and fifteen minutes cannot be boxed through or at least it never has yet and it does not seem possible that a man 37 years of age will show a precedent.

Willard claims that all he wants of Johnson is a fight. Johnson didn't fight Moran, he boxed him. It is plainly evident to everyone that Johnson can outbox Willard. But if Willard is the game chap that they say he is; if he possesses stamina that critics give him credit for having and can hit with his right hand harder than any man in the world there's only one answer—he's bound to hit Johnson before those 45 rounds have passed into history. And Johnson will be forced to show, before that bout is over, that he can outhit his white opponent in order to win.

Local Man's Dope

Several local sportsmen were discussing the coming Johnson-Willard battle the other day when Jim Lavery strolled along. Jim spent several weeks with Willard and his manager, Tom Jones, in Chicago two years ago and his dope upon the championship fight was listened to with interest.

"Jess told me," Mr. Lavery said, "that he never hit a man in his life as hard as he could and that nobody had ever hit him hard enough to hurt—that is to hurt for more than the round. It is my opinion that Willard was absolutely conscientious in in what he said. He is just a big good natured boy who has never taken his ring career seriously, accepting the earnings from the bouts which Jones arranged for him and letting it go at that. In my estimation," concluded Jim, "I think that Willard has a very good chance of whipping the champion."

Willard has improved, of course, since his last fight, probably improved with leaps and bounds. Under the careful tutelage which he has received from his various sparring partners all of whom have seen Johnson in action many times and several of whom have sparred with Willard, the latter must be a greatly improved glove artist.

Johnson is the better boxer. Willard is heavier, taller and is younger. Johnson has experience which the white man lacks. From where we sit it looks as though the outcome of Monday's world's championship rumpus will depend upon the hitting ability of the men.

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RAN OUT OF BOUT

Champion Refused to Meet Langford Down in Lawrence

Jack Johnson, who will uphold the title of heavyweight champion of the world in his encounter Monday with Jess Willard at Havana, Cuba ran out of an offer to fight Sam Langford at the old West End club in this city in 1906.

Arthur J. Cross was the matchmaker of the club at the time and on Nov. 29 Thanksgiving day of that year, he went to Haverhill along with a party of friends to witness the Sam Langford and George Gunther battle. Langford and Gunther had been having some terrific fights and so they agreed to stage a bout in Haverhill. Jack Johnson went along to Haverhill with Gunther and he was in his corner. That riled Langford. Langford and Johnson had already met on April 26 in the same year in Chelsea and Johnson won the decision in 15 rounds. There was bad blood between the two since, but, when Langford saw Johnson back of Gunther he was mad clean through.

Langford won the fight in five rounds. On the way to Chelsea to witness the Honey Mellody and Joe Walcott bout for the welterweight championship, which Mellody won in 12 rounds, Nick Cross tried to get Langford and Johnson to agree to meet at the local club. Langford was willing but Johnson backed out of the match. He wanted to meet some other fellow from Philadelphia and $500 would pay both men. The club matchmaker couldn't see such a match and especially in view of the interest in a Langford and Johnson bout on account of the rivalry after the Chelsea affair. The negotiations fell through and Johnson did not fight here. At that time Langford was fighting around 142 and Johnson 180.—Lawrence Eagle-Tribune.

OUTLOOK BRIGHT

League Situation Has Shifted—Successful Season Probable

On April 15th the players will begin to report here for their early training and four days later the local club will play two games in Lynn. Although the candidates for retention will work out at Spalding park daily until the season opens no pre-season games have been arranged for this city as the grandstand will not be completed before the formal league opening here.

Baseball Outlook Here O. K.

Baseball in Lowell looks to be O. K. this season. The team which represents this city this year will be backed by local fandom. The talk that Lowell would not be represented in the New England league this season has set many a fan to thinking of a summer's hardships without a professional ball game and it is safe to assert that Spalding park will be a rendezvous for more people this season than in 1914.

Gloom Replaced by Sunshine

The gloom which overspread this circuit a few weeks ago has been superseded by a feeling of optimism by fans and magnates alike. The unfortunate fate of the Eastern Association which appeared to be as strong if not more firmly founded than the New England league has demonstrated that the fans in this section of New England are far more loyal to their ball clubs than those along O'Rourke's circuit.

What the fans who follow the fortunes of any league want to see are contests—good ball games with the decision reserved until the last inning. As a rule the clubs in the New England league have been pretty well bunched. Of course there has usually been one or two aggregations which did not have a chance for the pennant but these clubs always gave the leaders a tussle. It is still well remembered the fall which Fall River took out of the championship Lowell club in 1913 when the contenders were being beaten with ease. It was Fall River which broke Lowell's long streak of victories that year and Fall River never had a chance for the pennant. This is what makes a successful league, good hard baseball with the winner always in doubt, and the 1915 season promises to furnish exactly this sort of baseball in the New England league.

Word From McCleskey

Jeff McCleskey, Lowell's second baseman and one of the most promising infielders that has been seen in the league for years, surprised us with a letter from Helena, Ga., the other day.

McCleskey has been working out for more than a month with the various major league clubs in his vicinity and states that he is in the pink of condition. He expects to start for this section on April 11th and will be on hand for business on the 15th.

IS BETTER THAN EVER

RABBIT MARANVILLE IS ALREADY SHOWING WONDERFUL FORM IN THE SOUTH

Rabbit Maranville, the Boston Braves' sensational shortstop, is ready to duplicate his wonderful performances of last season. The midget has been pulling off brilliant plays in the practice games down south and reports say that he will be even faster than ever this season.

Maranville is one of the few ball players who have been a credit to the New England league. He broke in under Tom Dowd in New Bedford and went direct from the Whaling crew to the Braves where he immediately made good. Other great stars were bench warmers for some period when they first joined the big fellows, but Maranville jumped right in at the start and has remained ever since.

FOUR OF CLUBS

The Four of Clubs, consisting of the Warren, Falcon, Temple and Patsee clubs, will hold a special meeting in the quarters of the Warren club next Wednesday evening to consider the advisability of holding a banquet on April 19. The officers of the Four of Clubs are as follows: James McEvoy, Falcon club, president; Thomas Higgins, Patsee club, secretary; and Patrick Flannery, Falcon club, treasurer.

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ATHLETES AND ATHLETICS

Johnson says that he can fight three hours at a stretch right now. His friends have advised him for weeks to do more strenuous stunts in his training but the Galveston black has steadily refused, saying that he knew his own condition best. If the battle goes against him Monday he will have none to blame but himself for critics agree that the champion is far below the physical perfection he showed when he entered the ring at Reno.

Sturtevant will once more perform on the mound for the Textile ball club this season. The local twirler had a very successful season last year, and Coach Johnson of the Moody street institution allows that he is even better this season.

Jack Kiernan has procured two new players for the Manchester club. Pitcher Horsey of the Trenton, Tri-State league team and Catcher Phillips of the Springfield club. Both players have performed with credit in their respective circuits, and Kiernan expects them to bolster up his club. Wonder if Horsey ever gets balky!

The heavy rain which fell in Havana yesterday did not stop either Johnson or Willard from carrying out their daily training program. In a heavy downpour both boxers pounded their sparring partners about in their training quarters. If it should rain Monday the men will meet under a canopy.

Manager Stalling is credited with saying that it does no harm for a bashful batter to get a fast one in the ribs. In the opinion of the Braves' manager, a batter who steps away from the plate will be cured of the habit after being hit once or twice. If the Braves have many recruits who need this sort of practice it wouldn't be a bad idea for Stallings to sign up Pete Wood.

The Giants have evidently gotten over the slump which characterized their early pre-season games. Opposing pitchers suffer badly these days Yesterday they defeated the Houston, Tex., team by a 15-1 score, getting 16 hits for 30 bases. Johnny McGraw must be using his tongue to excellent advantage.

Alec Pearson arrived in Lawrence yesterday, eager to take up his duties for the 1915 season. Alec is enthusiastic over the prospects of the down-river club. He is the only one who is, however, but that goes with the job.

Shano and Eddie, the Collinses with the White Sox, are banging the ball to all corners of the lot in the pre-season games. In fact, they are the only players who have done much with the stick so far. Eddie is more than satisfied with his job, and prophesies great things for his club.

All that Freddie Welsh wants for a bout with Johnny Dundee in New Haven is $15,000. The big bout at Havana and the money involved must have affected the lightweight champion's mind. Fifteen thousand dollars for anybody in New England is asking just a little too much—just a little.

Those German submarines have Porky Flynn buffaloed. Porky has a chance to cross the pond and fight for Merry Old England with a very good opportunity of bringing off the championship, but he's afraid of those submarines. After the career which Porky has led in the ring we are surprised to learn that anything like a submarine would affect his actions.

The football T's were awarded at Textile school yesterday. Besides Captain Oliver Lane McGowan, Manager Holt, Dover, McDonald, Powers, Goodell, Andrews, Peabody, Fuller, Mitchell, Morrill, Sullivan, Sawyer, O'Connell and O'Brien received their school insignia. An election for next year's captaincy will be held within a few days.

WITH THE PADDED MITTS

It is welcome news to Lowell fans to hear that the Atlas A. A. of Boston will re-open a week from Tuesday, with a pair of dusky gladiators, Sam Langford and Sam McVey. These warriors will battle over the 12-round route with a referee's verdict to be awarded at the finish. The two Sams are not strangers by any means, having met on four occasions. Three of these affairs were staged at Sidney, Australia, and the fourth at Perth, Australia. The bouts resulted in three wins for Langford and one for McVey.

We see that local promoters have taken charge of the boxing club of Manchester and in the future all outside promoters are to be barred. Sam Harris who ran the club a few months ago will be back at the helm and his presence put the game there on a strong footing. Harris is only a young man, but he has had many experiences with boxers and at present is managing a couple of Manchester ringsters. Mr. Harris is of the opinion that local boxers draw best and states that he will not go to Boston for boys to appear at his show, but draw from the smaller towns and thus give ambitious youngsters a chance to become famous.

Battling McFarland, who recently stopped Young Stone of this city in Lawrence, has received an offer to go to Nova Scotia to box Reddy McDonald, a product of that district. McDonald is well remembered by Lowell fans for his wonderful exhibition of gameness the night he fought Johnny Boyle. The Battling person had better consider the long hike back from Canada, for from accounts Reddy has improved by leaps and bounds since that bout with Boyle and only a few months ago he fought Mike Sullivan a draw and also has a knockout over Johnny Glover

Walter Mohr, who recently beat Gilbert Gallant, will have a chance to pay back Leach Cross for the licking Leaches handed him a few months ago in a New York ring. Cross and Mohr are to settle the question of supremacy on April 15 at Waterbury, Conn., in a 12-round bout. Cross ought to be there when the referee gives the decision, as he punches too hard for Mohr.

Tonight, Young Jasper will enter the ring against Kid Graves in Brooklyn and we hate to mention what this same Kid Graves will do to this same Jasper. Jasper is not the same boy he was a few years ago and today looks to be slipping fast. A top notch boxer like Graves can take all sorts of liberties with him and still have a nice total of points at the end of the bout.

After his battle with Sailor Fritts tonight Battling Levinsky will have passed his 200th contest within the roped arena. Bat also claims the greatest number of engagements in one year and he hopes to equal any standing record as to the number of bouts fought.

Jim Crilley doesn't seem to be able to secure a suitable opponent for Al Shubert for his show, next Thursday. Jim has tried to get Battling Reddy, but Reddy's demands are unreasonable Johnny Daly was mentioned, but he did not want the job. K. O. Eggers was willing to fight Shubert, but he wanted to box at catch weights. Shubert won't fight anybody over 120 pounds. Louisiana Lavigne is the last hope and if Crilley can not get him he will match Shubert against Young Marino, who has fought Champion Williams a couple of times.

A report is being circulated that Matty Baldwin is thinking of retiring from the ring for good. It is understood that his ribs, the ones injured by Johnny Harvey, have not responded to treatment and that Matty could not expect to battle any more.

Eddie Moore is looking around trying to have his star protege, Fred Yelle, meet some of these near-champions at the Atlas A. A. which opens up in a few weeks. Moore says Yelle would like to mingle with Charley White of Chicago or Gilbert Gallant of Chelsea or in fact any boxer who will make 135 pounds.

Let us hope Jim Crilley takes our tip and uses Gardner Brooks at his Lawrence club in the near future. If Brooks were to appear at the down-river club a large delegation from this city would be sure to turn out. Crilley can name any boxer in New York or New England weighing 116 pounds and Brooks will gladly leave New York and come on here and fight. The local sports are predicting great things for Gardner and would like to see him perform in this section of the country.

Gilbert Gallant seems to have shot his bolt and no longer looks as formidable as he did before he clashed with Sam Robideau, the lad who made him listen to the count of ten. Gallant after the Robideau fight, gave out that he was going to rest up for a month and then come out and show the critics they were wrong, but on his first attempt Phil Bloom made him look foolish over in Brooklyn and only last week Walter Mohr tacked a defeat on him at Bridgeport, Conn.

All arrangements were completed yesterday noontime for Monday's championship bout. Jack Welsh will referee the fight, barring accidents, but in case Jack is unlucky enough to be unable to climb through the ropes, Mat Hinkel of Cleveland was decided upon as alternate referee. Hinkel is well known as a decision-maker and was agreeable to Tom Jones, Willard's manager, and Tom Flanagan, acting for Johnson. With this decision all the details were complete as timekeepers, etc., had previously been agreed upon.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

An Easter Sunday program of unusual merit is offered Opera House patrons tomorrow afternoon and evening. Mr. Francois Chantereau, the Parisian tenor, will contribute numbers to the music feature, and the recital by Dr. Edward Delevanti, together with the Opera House orchestral music will round out the entertainment in melody. The feature picture will be Macklyn Arbuckle in "The County Chairman," a Famous Players film of five reels. Performances will begin at 3 and 8 o'clock.

On Monday afternoon, Rita Jolivet comes to the Opera House in the absorbing romance, "The Unafraid." This production is notable.

Jesse L. Lasky's picturization of "The Unafraid" is especially notable not only because of the exceptional dramatic interest of the plot but also because the cast contains three exceptionally distinguished artists: Miss Rita Jolivet, the internationally celebrated star who makes her initial photo-dramatic appearance in this production, Mr. House Peters and Mr. Theodore Roberts. Miss Jolivet and Mr. Peters share between them the romantic honors of the story, and Mr. Roberts appears as the evil genius who formulates many developments of the story.

There is an old saying that only a very good man in real life can represent the very worst villains on the stage. By this manner of measurement, Mr. Roberts must positively be the personification of all the manly virtues, for he is unquestionably the most deliciously nefarious plotter on the legitimate stage or the screen. In this instance he is the secret agent of the dual empire and treachery is his particular occupation.

The major portion of the action takes place in the mountains of Montenegro, that brave little nation which the dual empire, unable to conquer by arms, is trying to take possession of through intrigue. The dissolute young Count Michael Balsic is the traitor whom the agent of the dual empire bribes to instigate revolution in Montenegro. Michael wastes all the money he has been provided with for this purpose and then seeks to save himself by marrying an American heiress.

Closing performances by Fritzi Scheff in "Pretty Mrs. Smith" will be given this afternoon and evening.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Returning to vaudeville for the balance of the season the B. F. Keith theatre will open next week with the presentation of a bill which will measure up to the high standard previously set by this theatre, and of which the "Six Water Lilies" will be the especially underlined feature. This is a swimming and diving act, in which appear six young women, four of whom are known throughout the country for the records they have made in their special lines of work. The act is a thriller in every sense. For seven full weeks at the New York theatre this act held audiences, this season. The work of the young women is finished and most entertaining. There are no unnecessary flourishes and the young women do most difficult diving feats without a slip. Possibly the leader of the half dozen is Nora Leahy, a New York girl, who is not only a wonderful diver, but also a record holding swimmer. Two record swims were made by her in 1914, the first when she swam Hell's Gate, in New York, on July 3, and the second when she swam from Hastings, N. Y., to the foot of West Twelfth street, a distance of 21 miles, in seven hours and 12 minutes. Ruth Wood, of Roxbury, Mass., and Florence Scheublein, of New York, are among the record holding high divers, and Ruth Vialor, of Hartford, Conn., is also a diver of note. The other two all-round swimmers and divers are Esther Lowe and Nina Beck.

James Kyle MacCurdy & Co., in "Put on Your Old Gray Bonnett," a concoction of his own making, and one in which he has been wonderfully successful. Mr. MacCurdy will be recalled as the actor who made such a success of his own play, "The Old Clothes Man," in which his characterization of the elderly Hebrew challenged David Warfield's "Auctioneer." One of the special features of his new act is a scene on election night in New York City, when the lights on the dome of the World building flash the results of the election by a series of different colored lights. The New York press, in commenting upon this scene, voted it one of the most thrilling, and at the same time, unique situations in modern drama. "Put On Your Old Gray Bonnet" shows how a dashing young woman singles out a politician, about to win a congressional seat, and makes him believe she can guide him to the governor's chair through her social ability, and it also tells of her turning against him when defeat apparently stares him in the face.

Ray Dooley, who once appeared here with the Metropolitan Minstrels, and who scored a sizeable hit with that production, now has her own little act, known as the Ray Dooley trio. Assisting her are Elmer Graham and Gordon Dooley, and this is a guarantee that dainty Ray is to put forth in an entertainment which has the real hum to it. She is a sprightly miss, who dances because she loves it, and her sense of fun is very well developed indeed. Her co-partners in the production are also dancers, singers and funmakers.

Ethel May Barker, the juvenile violin virtuoso, is also classed among the features of the bill. Miss Barker, still in her teens, first came into fame as a member of the Kansas City Juvenile orchestra, in which she played a first violin, and then rose to the position of director. After that she branched out into vaudeville, and has made a strong impression everywhere she has appeared.

Herbert Spencer and Fleta Brown sing and play. Miss Brown is known as "the girl with the bird voice," and Mr. Spencer is called the "philosopher of the ivories." Their act has been made for purposes of entertainment, and they succeed admirably with it. Billy Davis is a monologist of note and Valentine & Bell give a mixture known as "The Furniture Removers." In addition there will be the Hearst-Selig News Pictorial. Good seats in advance may be obtained. 'Phone 28.

Tomorrow afternoon and evening the South End club will present its singing skit. The club has an organization of over 30 voices, and for a half hour they will hold the centre of all attention. In addition there will be four acts and several good pictures.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

If Alfred Hardy hadn't been so finicky, and Zole, his wife, hadn't been so foolish and a liar in the bargain, there never would have been any trouble. The scene of this farce is in Chicago. Zole permits Jimmy Jinks to take her to a luncheon. Her husband learns of the luncheon. Zole lies. An explosion occurs and the young husband packs his suitcase and leaves home. Zole is distracted, for she really loves him devotedly. Here Jimmy Jinks and his wife Aggie step into the breach. They assure Zole that a man may leave his wife but never his children. Zole has no child, but that does not disturb Jimmy or Aggie. Well, Zole telegraphs her wandering husband to come home and see his son and heir. Then naturally it is up to Jimmy to provide the heir. This he sets valiantly about doing. He goes up and down the streets looking for a baby. One is promised but it does not materialize; another mother fails at the last moment. Aggie works valiantly as well to bring things to a becoming climax, and it is just when they have about given up hope of completely deceiving the home hurrying husband that Jimmy arranges to provide—not, not a single son and heir, but triplets. Suffice it to say that all comes out right in the end and the young couple are reunited.

All of which happens in the funniest farce ever written, "Baby Mine," the offering in which Manager Woods will present the stock company in the coming week. "Baby Mine" is one of the latest stock releases from New York and has been selected by the management as a special Easter offering.

The role of the husband, Alfred Hardy, has been allotted to Sam A. Meharry. And anyone who has seen Mr. Meharry in comedy knows full well that it is in this class of amusement that this clever leading man excels. Jimmy Jinks, the friend, who through offering his assistance to the separated couple gets into all kinds of trouble, will be played by Stewart E. Wilson. This role was originally created by Otis Harlan, a well known Lowell favorite, and in it Mr. Wilson will be given an opportunity for some fine work. The difficult but happy role of Zole, Margaret Mayo's original role, has been allotted to Miss Laura Hudson. This is the first opportunity patrons have had of witnessing Miss Hudson in comedy and her work the coming week will no doubt be watched by all. Miss Sadie Galloupe as "Aggie" will again be given one of the principal roles, while others who will appear in small but important parts are Marion Chester, Dorothy Ardle, Joseph Thayer and Frank McDonald. Director Dimock has also arranged some very elaborate stage settings.

The sale of seats is now on at the box office and is large. In fact, so large that it has led the management to wire New York for the biggest dramatic stock release obtainable to follow this screamingly funny comedy. Announcement as to the title will be made in due time. Get the habit from now on. Don't miss a week. You'll not be disappointed. There are some big ones coming.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Lowell people who enjoy a strong, human drama of life in the great open, should see Jack London's "Burning Daylight," the last presentation of which will take place at the Academy of Music today. The story is woven about the lives of "Burning Daylight," a half breed, and other men of the great frozen north at the time of the famous gold fever which attracted so many to the Klondike. It is one of Jack London's very best works, which in itself is sufficient praise. The photoplay is most realistic, thrilling and dramatic. The settings are difficult and beautifully accomplished. Hobart Bosworth, renowned in fildom, is seen in the part of "Burning Daylight." The picture is bound to delight everyone.

In accordance with the act of the management, the seats in the first seven rows will be reserved for each evening performance and for Saturday and Sunday matinees at 15 cents each. This was requested by many patrons who desired to be sure of good seats in the event of their late arrival. Sunday, Mary Pickford will appear in "Caprice," one of the best pictures ever made with the fascinating little actress in the leading role.

THE OWL THEATRE

The final episode of "The Exploits of Elaine," showing the death of the "Clutching Hand," is the special feature at the Owl theatre today. "In Spite of All," a three-part feature, and many other new to Lowell pictures complete a fine program. Coming Monday, Lowell's favorite actor, William Farnum, in "A Gilded Fool," the strongest drama of the season.

WOLF'S THEATRE

"The Passion Play," will be the headline picture for Sunday. There will be six other excellent pictures especially "A Girl and Two Boys." On Monday will be shown the greatest actress of all times, Sarah Bernhardt, in her most successful play "La Tosca." The balance consists of the usual good Mutual and Keystone pictures. The show tomorrow will run continuous.

NOTRE DAME ALUMNAE

The Notre Dame Academy alumnae association has taken over Keith's theatre for the night of Tuesday, April 13. A very fine program has been arranged. In addition to the regular performance the following well known artists will appear: Miss Virginia Filion, one of the gold medal pupils of Notre Dame; Mr. Andrew McCarthy, baritone soloist; Miss Mary Joyce, reader; Miss Harriet Shaw, harpist of Boston Symphony orchestra, and Mrs. Teresa Mahoney Donovan, soprano soloist of Lawrence.

There are still some very good 50 and 75 cent seats left and they can be obtained at Steinert's music store.

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GOOD SEATS FOR THOSE WHO COME EARLY

SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

LOCAL BUILDING NEWS

Business Continues Brisk and Demand for Permits is Large—Real Estate Men Busy

Increased activity continues to prevail in the real estate and building circles and during the past week at city hall there was a big demand for permits. The total value of the permits, which numbered about 16, is approximately $24,705, quite a nice sum to be spent in Lowell for new buildings and remodelling of old. Out of the number of permits, ten called for new buildings and of these ten, nine were issued to cover the erection of new dwellings of from one to three apartments.

The real estate men report very favorably of the conditions of the market and still maintain in many instances that their one obstacle is the shortage of suitable property to show prospective buyers. Many people already owning property will buy more, if suitable parcels are offered for sale, but they cannot be induced to sell.

Fred Desrosiers is one of several who are constructing apartment houses. Mr. Desrosiers will erect a three apartment dwelling at 723-725 Moody street. Each apartment is to have six rooms, pantry and bath. The roof will be flat, the foundation of stone and there will be two stairways, one front and the other in the rear portion of the house. The cost as estimated will be approximately $3000.

A two apartment dwelling is to be erected for William McDonald at 59-61 Norcross street. The apartments will consist of 5 rooms, pantry and bath each, and the building will be two and one-half stories in height. There will be two stairways and the method of heating will be by steam. The cost will be approximately $3000.

A single family house will be built for Annie J. Dorine at 148 Carlisle street. The building will be a story and one-half in height and will measure 24 by 18 feet. A furnace will be the method of heating. $1200 is the estimated cost. The owner is a resident of East Chelmsford.

A new dwelling will be erected at 151 A street by Henry A. Derby. The building will consist of one story and attic, measuring 24 by 30 feet. It will have five rooms, pantry and bath and the cost will be in the vicinity of $1300.

John L. Holman will erect a new house on his property at 138 Liberty street at a cost of about $3000. The new house will measure 24 by 30 feet, will have seven rooms, pantry and bath and will be heated by steam.

A two family house will be built for James Dow at 155-157 B street. The house will be two and one-half stories in height and will measure 24 by 50 feet. Each tenement will consist of 6 rooms, pantry and bath. The cost is placed at $3500.

Michael Riley is another of those who are building new dwellings. Mr. Riley's new house will be erected at 80 Upham stret, the principal material being wood. The front will be 24 feet and the side 32 feet. The dwelling will have one apartment of 7 rooms, bath and pantry and will be heated by steam. The cost will be $2600.

George A. Coburn will build a single apartment dwelling at 70 Upham street at a cost of $2600. The dwelling will be 24 by 32 feet in size and will have seven rooms pantry and bath, method of heating to be steam.

Margaret W. Merrill will finish the house at 112 Woburn street which was begun in 1913 by W. H. Hansen. The house will have six roms instead of five as called for in the original permit, otherwise the specifications are the same. The cost of completion will be $500.

Octave Lamontagne and Louis Pouissant are building a storage shed in Cumberland road, off Dalton street, 30 by 18 feet in size and one story in height. The cost will be $200.

Manuel J. Avila is changing the store front at Central street, corner of Charles street. The alterations will result in affording a salesroom and bake shop. The door will be changed over and a new window built in. The work will cost $50.

Katherine Kearns is building a new piazza to replace the old one at her house at 99 Beach street. The work will cost about $100.

Louis Ducharme is building an addition for a store on his property at 675 Middlesex street. The front of the building will be changed over for store purposes. The work of remodeling will cost in the neighborhood of $150.

In the building at 28 Suffolk street, leased by George Thomas and George Kalaf, a new brick oven will be constructed at a cost of $500. The oven will be built on a concrete floor.

An iron stack for a boiler chimney will be constructed by Charles P. Dodge at 537 School street. The boiler will be installed in the barn and the one in the house removed.

Ella B. Pierce at 95 Ford street is having a new sleeping porch built on the roof of her dwelling at a cost of $75.

REAL ESTATE DEALERS

Sales by E. Gaston Campbell

E. Gaston Campbell, with offices at 335-328 Hildreth building, reports the following sales for the week ending April 2:

Bond for a deed has been signed on two lots of land situated on Farmland road, West Centralville. The obligee's, Edmond Traversy, who is a contractor, intentions are to build modern houses on these lots. Further particulars will be given when deeds are ready to be recorded.

Agreements have been signed for the purchase and sale of an extra large lot of land located on Lakeview avenue near Campaw street. This lot contains nearly 11,000 square feet and full particulars will be given upon passing of final papers.

Agreements have also been signed on a two-tenement house of six rooms to each tenement, with a shed, barn and a lot containing 6000 square feet. The grantee in this transaction buys as an investment and full particulars will be given upon passing of final papers.

Sales by Byam Bros.

Byam Bros. real estate brokers with offices at 97 Central street, report the following sales for the week ending April 2, 1915:

Papers have been passed on the transfer of a first-class cottage house on Centralville Hill. This is situated at 60 Nineteenth street with a south and west exposure. The property comprises a seven room cottage with small shop in rear and land totaling 5000 square feet. The sale has been effected for Charles H. and Katie E. Mears, and the purchaser is Ellen M. Marshall. Mrs. Marshall is to occupy the premises in the near future.

Final papers have been taken to record whereby the property situated at 90 Parker avenue, Dracut, Mass., comprisong a seven room cottage, stable, hen house and ten thousand square feet of land has been conveyed by Mrs. Louis M. Doyle to local parties who buy for home purposes. This office was assisted in this transaction by the office of Thomas H. Elliott.

Contracts calling for the purchase and sale have been signed calling for the transfer in the near future of a seven room cottage home on Shaw street. Full details will be given upon passing of final papers.

Contracts by Geo. A. Hill

Geo. A. Hill, the electrical contractor, is installing the electric lighting fixtures in a new house for E. A. Simpson on Wyman street. He is also wiring a large cement four-apartment house in Centralville for Mr. Jacques Boisvert.

THE EXPOSITION ROSE

The rose display at the Panama-Pacific International exposition proves itself to be one of the horticultural wonders of the world. The famous international rose-growers have entered thousands of plants in competition for the $1000 prize for the best rose, hitherto unnamed and never before exhibited, which can be produced. This rose, when the award is made, will be given a name that will pertain to the exposition, thus perpetuating the name and the glory of the exposition through the medium of a lovely bloom.

ISLANDS THAT GROW

At Yamagata, Japan, says an exchange, there is a small lake called the Lake of Floating Islands, that contains at times as many as sixty islands that change their position constantly. The islands, which move first one way and then the other, start from masses of vegetable debris that are carried to the surface by bubbles of gas; reeds soon grow on these masses in such quantity that they sometimes become topheavy and overturn. In that case the reeds grow on the newly exposed side, until the islands have become so deep and wide that they will no longer turn over. Professor Kusakabe, of the Tohoku Imperial university and several associates have investigated the mysterious movements of these floating islands. By placing wooden floats in the lake to show the situation and direction of the various currents Professor Kusakabe and his associates found that the combined action of currents of air and water is what makes the islands move.

NOW IS THE TIME TO BUILD

All over the country the papers have been laying particular stress on this being the time to build. Some of the arguments put forth have been well worth serious consideration, and all of them are timely and ought to be acted on by those who have the money to build. The northern, western and southern papers have been publishing a good deal of matter of this kind. A recent issue of the Albany Herald, of Albany, Ga., has a good article along this line, saying among other things the following:

"The war in Europe is not going to last forever. It must end some time, and conditions are not apt to grow worse than they are now. They are more apt to gradually improve as the industrial and commercial world recovers from the shock of changed conditions and adjusts itself to the new order of things.

"In the meantime, consider this:

"Labor is cheaper now than in many years.

"So is building material of all kinds—lumber, brick, lime, cement, and almost everything else that goes into the construction of a dwelling house or a business structure.

"Therefore, those who are in position to do so should seize the golden opportunity and get ready to take advantage of the 'good times' which are sure to return before very long.

"Such a policy, if adopted on a considerable scale, would stimulate all lines of business. The unemployed would be given employment. They would have money to spend and it would be spent with the merchants in all lines of trade. Business would pick up in gratifying manner through all channels of trade.

"Then there are those who could take advantage of the low cost of labor and material by making minor improvements if not in position to embark on more extensive building operations. Homes could be repaired and painted. Premises could be put in first-class condition. The whole town could be made to look better and numbers of people would receive employment who are now out of work."—St. Louise Lumberman.

PLANT A TREE

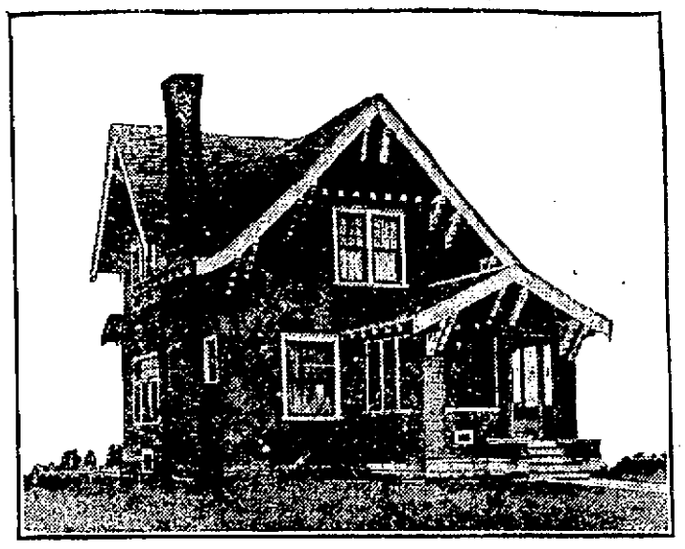
Whether it be a fruit tree, an ornamental tree or a timber tree, the time devoted to planting it is well and worthily spent, says the Louisville Courier-Journal. Within the last two decades the whole country has awakened to the importance of the forestry question. All states should be interested in preserving the remnants of our goodly forest heritage, and in passing on to future generations a land beautified and glorified by its wealth of trees.

It requires years for nature to build a perfect tree, and it requires only a few moments for a man to destroy nature's work. The time has come when nature must be assisted in the beneficent task of reforestation.

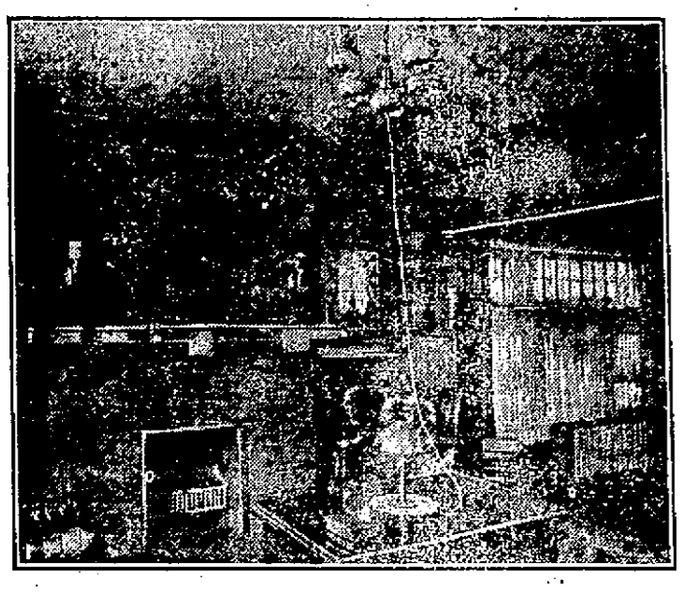
THE CONCRETE HOUSE

That "the concrete house" is elusive of definition is made evident by the houses now seen. Cast-in-place houses with solid walls, with steel forms, and with unit wall apparatus; houses of pre-cast units varying from the relatively small block units to light thin sections for double walls and large two and three-ton units handled by an electric crane—all these are in evidence. Then in the matter of architectural development there are various stucco treatments, brushed and rubbed surfaces and beautiful color effects. The concrete house is not one kind of house. Concrete is a universal material and its variety of applications does not lag in realization through any inherent sameness in the material itself, either structurally or architecturally. The applications merely wait upon a skilled hand to work them. That they are being worked out to meet various demands of purse and taste is evidenced by the many examples in all parts of the country.—Concrete-Cement Age.

COLONIAL AND BUNGALOW STYLE



PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH



INTERIOR VIEW—LIVING ROOM

The interior view shows the end of the living room, which runs the full width of the house. The fireplace has art glass windows on each side. The breast of the fireplace is constructed with a six inch square and dull glazed tile with large joints. The color of the mortar can be either black, gray or white. The hearth of the fireplace is made of the same material as the breast. Above the breast of the fireplace is heavy wood mantel shelf, with three 6-inch face brackets under it. This makes the front of the fireplace massive. Size, 26 feet wide by 28 feet deep, exclusive of the front porch. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, $3200.

SALEM'S NEW BUILDING CODE

The new building code which was adopted the third week in August by the rebuilding commission of the city of Salem, Mass., specifies that for structures which may be erected on the burned district, the roofs must be of slate, tile, terra cotta, metal or some other equally incombustible material. The code allows for factory and mill construction, but these buildings must be of first or second class construction or built with a mill frame and an exterior of metal or other incombustible material.

In regard to the residential section the code reads as follows:

"No building will be allowed to run nearer than 5 feet to the adjoining lot, and there must be a distance of at least 10 ft. between buildings on the same lot. No building shall occupy more than 75 per cent. of the lot on which it is built, unless it be on a corner, then it may occupy 80 per cent. of the lot."

The new regulations apply only to the burned district.

HINTS ON HOUSE PLANNING

When you commence to plan your new house get a good-sized scrapbook in which to paste every kind of a suggestion you come across. There are hundreds of little ideas, as well as some larger ones, which will help you give your home added charm or comfort without much increase in cost. Ideas about built-in things, from a simple shelf to a medicine closet or a seat in an inglenook. There are things to do and things not to do about the placing of lights and of radiators and of water or steam pipes. There are principles of harmony to be remembered in the selection of rugs, draperies, wall decorations and furniture. We all run across such suggestions, but rarely remember them. So get a scrapbook, or else a large envelope or a flat box, labeled "The New House." It will pay.

TREE-BREATHING

Trees breathe the same as animals, says an exchange. They inhale oxygen and exhale carbonic acid gas. The oxygen is taken in through the leaves and through the minute openings in the bark, called lenticels. This process of breathing goes on in the tree day and night but assimilation takes place only in the daylight.

LIMITING FRAME HOUSES

The suggestion of placing a limit in the suburban districts of New York outside of the fire limits within which frame construction will be restricted to detached dwellings appears to be meeting with considerable favor. Reports from the boroughs affected show that many of the real estate operators as well as the residents approve of the project and the feeling is quite general that all sections of the city in which development of any kind has started might very properly be included. In view of this general sentiment the outlines for the suburban limits have been drawn to include large areas where heretofore there was no restriction.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending April 2

LOWELL

Annette Stewart to Nellie S. White, land and buildings corner May and Thirteenth streets.

Franklin D. Russell et ux., to Patrick F. Mahoney, land on Parkview avenue.

Dionysios A. Sakellarpis et ux. to Patrick F. Mahoney, land and buildings on Mammoth road.

Patrick F. Mahoney et ux., to Dionysios A. Sakellarios, land and buildings on Lakeview avenue and passageway.

Honore Blanchard et ux., to Jacques Boisvert, land and buildings on Ferry lane.

Desire Ducharme et ux to Jacques Boisvert, land and buildings on Carolyn street.

Peter A. Paradis et ux. to James McArdle et ux., land and buildings on East Pine and Nichols streets and passageway.

Fred W. Wood et al, trs., to Alfred Perrault, land on Wollaston street.

Edwin P. Stone and as exor., to George C. Stone et al, land on Wilder street.

Arthur W. Hugley et ux., to Chas. P. Witham, land on Putnam avenue.

Walter H. Redman et al, to John H. Redman, land on Beacon street.

John H. Redman et al, to Francis M. Qua, land on Beacon street.

Francis M. Qua to John H. Redman et al, land on Beacon street.

Katie E. Mears et al, to Ellen M. Marshall, land and buildings on Nineteenth street.

Roxanna Pullen to David Shapiro et ux., land and buildings on Royal st.

David Benjamin Oliver et ux., to John J. Conlon, land on Townsend avenue.

David Benjamin Oliver et ux., to John J. Conlon, land on Melrose avenue.

Ellen F. Gardner et al, to Flora Hartwell Sprague, land and buildings on Pine street.

Flora Hartwell Sprague to Theodore F. Gardner et al, land and buildings on Pine street.

Susan J. Fahey et al, to William J. Fahey, land and buildings on Central street.

Esrel Greenberg et ux., to Gertrude I. Brams, land and buildings corner Lane street and passageway.

Joseph B. V. Coburn et al, to Hugo P. Dick, land and buildings on Varnum avenue.

Mary A. Cooney et al, to Charles W. Swan's tr., land and buildings on Olive and Congress streets and Congress avenue.

Harriet F. Shirley et al, to Mary A. Cheney, land and buildings on Gorham and Olive streets.

Kenneth D. McKinnon et ux., to Edmund P. Brooks, land and buildings on Morton street and Mission place.

Charles F. Devine et al, to Annie J. Devine, land and buildings on Carlisle street.

BILLERICA

James E. Burke tr. to Addie Mansfield, land on Pinehurst avenue.

James E. Burke tr. to Harriet Monahan, land at The Pines.

Fred M. Barney et ux to James F. Owens, land on road to Wilmington.

Jacob W. Wilbur et ux to J. W. Wilbur Co., Inc., Boston land.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Elizabeth Baybill, land at Nuttings Lake park.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to John J. Hellen, land at Nuttings Lake park annex.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Lillian G. Hellen, land at Nuttings Lake park annex.

George H. Shields tr. to Edward McDonough et al, land at Nuttings Lake park annex.

James R. Adams to James Graham, land.

Charles A. Ranlett est. by tr. to Mildred F. Conklin, land on Osceola and Sabbatia lanes.

CHELMSFORD

Lillie E. Watt et al, to Dennis Duffy, land on Chelmsford street.

Edmund A. Carll et ux to Lillie E. Watt, land cor Chelmsford street and passageway.

James R. Adams to James Graham, land and buildings.

Wm. F. Gately to James G. Birtwell et al, land on Gorham street.

DRACUT

Jacob W. Wilbur et ux to J. W. Wilbur Co., Inc., Boston, land.

Hiram E. Huse et al, to Central Congregational church, Dracut, land on Delbert street.

Hiram E. Huse et al to S. Elizabeth Parker et al, land on Delbert street.

Town of Dracut to Emily B. Eastman, land on Pleasant street and Aiken avenue.

Reinoldy R. Pauline Rhomberg to Elizabeth J. Polsom, land and buildings at Kenwood

TEWKSBURY

James E. Burke tr. to John Lopes Sardina, land at Mechanics park.

James E. Burke tr. to John Lopes Sardina et als, gdn, land at Mechanics park.

Jacob W. Wilbur et ux to J. W. Wilbur Co., Inc., Boston, land.

John P. Fly et al to Emma Moller, land on Glenwood and Maplewood avenues and South street.

Grace V. Nickerson to Henderson E. Miller, land on Clyde avenue.

Taylor & Garker Co., Tewksbury, to Avery Chemical Co., Boston, land.

TYNGSBORO

Dolar Larivierre et ux to Harry H. Clark et ux, land on Bancroft street.

WILMINGTON

Edward S. Eaton et ux to Constantinos D. Dimaras, land on Kensington avenue.

Suburban Land Co., Inc., Boston, to Mary Josephine Marcoux, land on Laurel avenue.

Edward S. Eaton et ux to Daniel C. Humphreys et ux, land and buildings on Smith and Burnham streets and Berwick and Cook avenues.

Grace V. Nickerson to Henderson E. Miller, land on Clyde avenue.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Teachers in Chicago's public schools may become mothers without suffering the loss of their positions, but, once mothers, they must stay at home for two years and devote these entirely to the child's interest.

Mrs. Keith Donaldson, once known as the "Million Dollar Bride," is thinking seriously of going on the stage to secure money with which to continue her fight for her daughter, who is now in the possession of her mother-in-law.

Mrs. Hortense Ward, of Houston, Texas, who was recently admitted to practice before the United States supreme court, is active in state politics and two years ago led the movement that won separate property rights for women in Texas.

Miss Charlotte Barth, of Denver, who has just won a legal contest for the $6,000,000 estate of her grandfather, has arranged to finance a religious mission in Denver with the object of gathering Jewish converts to the folds of Christianity.

Today, April 3rd, is "Quarter Day" at The Lowell Five Cent Savings bank.

CARD OF THANKS

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THE SPELLBINDER

"I didn't raise my boy to be a soldier,
To junket on the city's needed dough;
To march along with musket on his shoulder,
For which three thousand dollars we must blow.
Let's spend the city funds with more discretion,
Than wasting them upon an empty show.
If the voters had their say,
There'd be no talk today
Of blowing in 3000 on the soldier."

That July 4th Celebration

On Thursday night a man was badly injured in an automobile accident beyond the pumping station on the boulevard. The ambulance responded with all haste and dashed back to the General hospital with the victim, as fast as the horse could travel, but upon its arrival the man was dead. Perhaps had he arrived there a few minutes sooner his life might have been saved. Had he been carried to the hospital in a motor-drawn ambulance, he would have arrived there alive. The city can't afford to purchase an auto ambulance on account of its financial condition, but the $3000 that it proposes to spend upon a military pageant on July 4th would purchase and fully equip an auto ambulance, and there'd be money left over, out of that amount.

Frequently one reads in the newspapers the following: "The ambulance was summoned but the victim died on the way to the hospital."

That $3000 would purchase an auto-ambulance, but then the members of the municipal council would be deprived of the proud privilege of standing upon a reviewing stand with chests extended, to review a grand military pageant.

Last Tuesday in what was supposed to be a conference between the mayor and a committee representing the Federation of Churches, the latter organization submitted a protest against the proposed military pageant on July 4th, advancing three reasons for its opposition. The first two reasons are open to discussion pro and con, but there is no doubt as to the validity of the third reason advanced by the ministers, which is as follows: "Our city presents too many needs to warrant the spending of so large a sum as has been voted by your honorable body for a military display. These needs are too evident; too well known to call for enumeration."

The heads of departments and the commissioners themselves have been crying for more money for needed repairs and improvements: the unemployed have been crying for an opportunity to earn a living, but to no avail, on account of the city's financial condition, and into the bargain the taxpayers have been crying against the highest tax rate in history with little to show for it. Yet the municipal council proposes to spend $3000 and probably more, on a one-day show which, while interesting, is not worth the expenditure under the existing conditions. The fact that the municipal council has voted $3000 for the show does not indicate that $3000 represents all that the city will have to spend on the pageant. At Tuesday's conference Mayor Murphy outlined a plan which figured up a cost of $3700 for the celebration, while Mr. MacBrayne, who represented the militiamen, stated that the show would cost $10,000.

Who is going to meet the balance? Not the militiamen for they are being paid for giving the show. It is almost too much to expect that the merchants of Lowell will contribute $7000 for a celebration that is to be held on a day when their stores will be closed. And the city can't afford to have it said that the big city of Lowell authorized a military pageant and failed to meet the expenses thereof.

As yet the promoters of the celebration have offered no explanation of how they are to run a $10,000 show on an appropriation of $3000. The municipal commissioners may not care how it is to be done, but the taxpayers care and the merchants care.

Where is all this additional money coming from?

Is it to be the same old story over again; after the cheering has died away, like Jones of old, will the taxpayer pay the freight?

Assuming that the promoters of the event are able to finance a $10,000 celebration to the extent of $7000, why not make it a $7000 affair and exempt the city from any expense. The ordinary citizen couldn't tell the difference between a military blowout costing $7000 and one that costs $10,000.

If the promoters of the event have $7000 to spend on a celebration why not hold one for that amount complimentary to the city of Lowell?

How Money Could Be Spent

One week ago Thursday The Spellbinder, referring to the proposed celebration, showed how that $3000 could be better spent, enumerating several instances. The Courier-Citizen, which recently has come around to The Sun's way of thinking on the matter, evidently read the article for in yesterday's issue of that paper were several more instances along the same line, among them being the following:

"$3000 will give work to 100 men for two weeks, at a wage of two dollars a day.

$3000 will lay 1000 feet of 12-inch sewer pipe at a depth of nine and a half feet.

$3000 will buy about $1,000 four-inch paving blocks which will cover 2700 square yards of pavement.

$3000 will pay for the laying of 890 square yards of granite block paving, reckoning at $3.37 a square yard.

$3000 will lay 3500 square yards of tar macadam on an old base.

$3000 will give to the park department the sum it asked for playgrounds, whereas it was voted but $1500 this year.

$3000 will install an electrically propelled elevator at city hall, making it unnecessary to keep coal fires burning the year round to operate it.

$3000 will pay for additional nurses to be attached to the health department.

$2000 will take care of many Lowell patients at Rutland and other tuberculosis sanitoria.

$3000 will purchase six pairs of horses for the street department, allowing the broken down ones to go to Red Acre farm.

$3000 will pay interest at the rate of 5 per cent on $60,000, and the city has several times $60,000 borrowed on which interest will fall due this year."

Municipal Ingratitude

There are two instances on record at the present time in which the city of Lowell is convicted of the sin of gross ingratitude, namely the neglect of Shedd park and the use of the John Davis fund to meet the running expenses of the city library. The city of Lowell promised in accepting Shedd park that it would spend money annually on the improvement of the land, that being the condition under which the gift was made. Now that Mr. Shedd is dead and can't protest, the city appropriates only money enough to meet the letter of that condition. This year it appropriated a measly $500 for the improvement of the park, a mere drop in the bucket, simply to be able to swear if called upon to do so that it did make an appropriation for the improvement of the gift. The amount of work that will be done with $500 will not be noticeable upon its completion even to the keenest observer.

Then there's the Davis fund. None will deny that our library is being run with the strictest economy, and yet the city is guilty of using a trust fund bequeathed to it for a specific purpose for another purpose. City Librarian Chase has earnestly and eloquently set forth the needs of the library without avail, while the Davis fund has been used regardless of the conditions of the bequest.

And yet the city which cannot afford to respect the wishes of its deceased benefactors can afford to blow in $3000 on a needless pageant. That $3000 would help considerably, if divided between the library and Shedd park.

Of course dead men don't vote. But how is the city to expect any bequests in the future when the donors of the future contemplate the city's ungrateful behavior toward those of the past?

The city has so many crying needs that one would think the municipal council wouldn't dare to appropriate so much money for a one-day celebration.

Looked Like a Frame-Up"

When The Sun asked Rev. Dr. Ferrin a few days ago for what purpose the conference with the mayor had been called by the Federation of Churches, the reverend gentleman stated that as the meeting was a conference, the federation didn't feel at liberty to give out any advance information. Undoubtedly this was done out of courtesy to His Honor, the other party to the conference. But upon their arrival at the mayor's office, the clergymen were much surprised to find present a representative of the militiamen, armed with a lengthy statement replying to their protest, even before they had made known its details. They had requested a conference with the mayor, but instead were subjected to a severe scolding by Mr. MacBrayne, representing the militia, and were placed in the same category with the I. W. W., the anarchists and others of a godless and unpatriotic nature.

One of Mr. MacBrayne's principal reasons for the celebration was that Lowell would be more widely advertised than it has been for five years. In view of the fact that already it has been advertised throughout the commonwealth as having one of the highest tax rates in the state, the widespread publication of the additional fact that it intends to keep that tax rate in the air by blowing in $3000 on a one-day celebration, may not be the kind of advertising that pays, that the city needs or desires.

But the ministers are still wondering how it came to pass that Mr. MacBrayne was present with a prepared answer to their protest when nobody knew what they were there for but the mayor.

Principal Irish's Object Lesson

Knowing as an educator, the force of teaching by object-lesson, Principal Irish at Thursday's "Lowell day" exercises at the High school couldn't resist the temptation to spring one on the municipal council, through Mayor Murphy, who was present. There were several hundred pupils who couldn't get into the exercises and Principal Irish after His Honor had spoken, expressed his regret that there were between 500 and 600 pupils who had been unable to attend on account of the limited accommodations. "We need a new high school," said Principal Irish. "Is there any doubt about it, Mr. Murphy?"

Appointment of Lieut. Duncan

The appointment of Sergeant Alexander Duncan to the vacant lieutenancy in the police department without doubt gives perfect satisfaction to everybody outside of the police department and probably to most everybody within the department. It was an excellent appointment but the case was one in which His Honor couldn't do otherwise than make a good selection, for he had three good men from whom to select. Under the circumstances he did the very best thing; took the man at the top of the list, and there can be no adverse criticism of the appointment.

And now, who is to get the position of sergeant made vacant by the promotion of Lieutenant Duncan?

The present eligible list for sergeant comprises George B. Palmer, William Wilson, Samuel E. Bigelow and Thomas B. Riley, all "good boys," who took the examination nearly two years ago, when Former Mayor O'Donnell had an appointment to make. If His Honor desires to he may appoint at once from the present list but if he waits a few weeks another examination will be necessary as the 2-year limit for eligible lists will have expired and these men will be required to take the examination again in order to get on the new list. The examination for sergeant two years ago was taken under unusual circumstances. Former Mayor O'Donnell had an appointment to make and his expressed choice was Patrolman James Holland. An examination was called by the civil service commission as at that time there was no list in existence. Before it took place, however, word was sent around by the patrolmen themselves that as the mayor desired to appoint Patrolman Holland, it would be a courteous act toward His Honor not to compete against Patrolman Holland in the examination. As a result when the examinations were held, the only men to take it, were Sergt. Petrie, Patrolman Holland and the four men whose names are now on the list, where ordinarily nearly every patrolman in the department would have taken it. Patrolman Holland passed successfully and was about to be appointed when the civil service commission discovered an omission in his application and his name was stricken from the eligible list, and Sergt. Petrie subsequently was appointed. Thus while the men who took the examination had a perfect right to take it, regardless of whom the mayor wished to appoint, and are legally entitled to the position they hold on the list, the list as it stands, with only four names in a field of considerably over 100, does not fairly represent the number of men really eligible for promotion, and under the "equal rights for all; special privileges to none" theory, His Honor should give all the men in the department an opportunity to compete for the promotion. Of course, if he intends to promote one of the four now on, he can do so if he acts quickly, as the present list holds good for a few few weeks longer.

The Petrie Decision

Two railwaymen met in front of The Sun building, Wednesday, and the following dialogue took place:

"The mayor has given out his decision."

"That so?" "When?"

"This noon."

"Written?"

"No, rotten!"

Of course, the speaker referred to the subject matter of His Honor's decision rather than its composition, for the decision was a disappointment to the railwaymen, though not entirely unexpected. The decision was forecasted two weeks ago by The Spellbinder. His Honor omitted notifying The Sun of the decision, but The Sun was the first to present it to the public, nevertheless, while despite the fact that Daniel J. Donahue, Esq., was counsel for Sergt. Petrie, that gentleman received his first information concerning it from The Sun. From what one hears from the street railwaymen, speaking as individuals, the incident does not close with the mayor's decision.

THE SPELLBINDER.

CROWN BISMARCK'S WORK

KAISER SAYS GOD'S GRACE AND WILL TO WIN GUARANTEE GERMANY'S VICTORY

AMSTERDAM, via London, April 3.—Replying to a telegram from the imperial chancellor, the emperor sent the following dispatch from army headquarters:

"Your message concerning the stirring celebration in honor of Bismarck has rejoiced me greatly. I would with great pleasure attend personally to do homage to the great chancellor and lay on the steps of the monument, amidst the representatives of the empire and the people, a token of his reverence for the man who in this present earnest time is especially dear to us as the personification of German strength and determination; but my duty to the armed German people is to hold out in the field in order to protect and strengthen the empire's power abroad.

"We shall succeed. Our guarantee is, firstly, God's grace; secondly, the unanimous will to achieve victory which inspires us all, and our solemn vow to make every sacrifice for the fatherland, which has been tested by facts.

"The spirit of unity, which has enabled our men in the battlefield to overcome everything that divided us, will, I confidently hope, outlast the din of war, and after victory has been gained will rightly bless and promote the internal development of the empire.

"Then, as the fruit of duty, life will spring up in which the German nationality will have full and free expansion. The proud work for which Bismarck laid the foundation will be crowned."

KILLED HER SISTER

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 3.—The shooting of Glenna Wheeler, a girl of 10 years, by her 12-year-old sister Florence at their home in Hyde Park became known here yesterday.

The accident occurred Thursday while the children were alone in the house. Florence said that she and her sister were playing with her father's rifle.

She pointed it at Glenna and pulled the trigger, not knowing that the weapon was loaded. The child was shot through the heart and died instantly.

GIRLS WANT TO COMPETE

NEW YORK, April 3.—Many girl athletes, it was learned today, have made application to the Amateur Athletic union headquarters in this city for permission to register and to take part in the Boston and other Marathon races to be held this spring. The applicants argued that if girl swimmers were allowed to register the same privilege should be given to the runners, but they were informed that the athletic authorities would not sanction the participation of women in running events.

PELLETIER STILL ALIVE

Emile Pelletier, who was injured in the automobile accident on the boulevard Thursday night in which his brother, Theodore, was killed, is still in a critical condition at the Lowell General hospital.

SLEEPYTIME TALES

BY VIRGINIA VALE

FOR THE LITTLE READERS OF THE SUN

DANCE OF THE RAINDROPS

Once upon a time the raindrops decided to have a dancing party such as had never been given before. The snowdrops, their great rivals in winter, had departed, driven away by the sun king so the raindrops knew they would not be interfered with until next winter.

The sun king had given his permission for the dance and had promised to stay in one whole day, as he knew his hot rays would spoil the dance.

One day all the raindrops gathered above the very place you live and the dance began. They didn't need any outside music for each raindrop made his own as he came down from the clouds. Each drop was all shiny and round, all in their best clothes.

They all danced alone and all over the sidewalks, the streets, and the roofs they splashed and danced and frolicked until they got so tired they just lay quiet and slept. Of course they didn't lie on the sidewalks or streets as they might get stepped on and killed, so as they went to sleep they melted all up into tiny silvery streams and rolled off into the deep gutter where they went altogether singing as they went, to the sewer and so into the sea.

That was not the end of them, however, for the sun king drew them up from the sea into their cloud homes again where they immediately began to arrange for another party in a few days.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To Frank A. Drew, of Chelmsford, in said County of Middlesex, and to his heirs apparent or presumptive, and to the State Board of Insanity.

Whereas, a petition for guardianship has been presented to said Court, by Clara J. Drew and Ernest C. Bartlett, alleging that said Frank A. Drew is an insane person, and incapable of taking care of himself, and praying that Clara J. Drew of said Chelmsford, or some other suitable person, may be appointed his guardian, agreeably to the law in such case made and provided.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in and for said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of April, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why a guardian should not be appointed as aforesaid.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to cause you to be notified of the time and place appointed for the hearing of said complaint, by serving said Frank A. Drew and said State Board of Insanity, with a copy of this order, seven days at least before said Court; and by mailing to said heirs apparent or presumptive at the last known post office address of each, a copy of the same, fourteen days at least before said Court, or instead of said mailing, by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fifth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
M27-A3-10

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Annie F. Merriam, late of Billerica, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Arthur W. Merriam, of Chelmsford, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of April, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-fourth day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.
M27-A3-10

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

To the Honorable the Municipal Council of the City of Lowell:

Respectfully represents the Bay State Street Railway Company:

That it owns and operates street railway tracks in the City of Lowell, and that public necessity and convenience require certain alterations of locations and relocations thereof.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner, as such Street Railway Company, prays for alterations of locations and relocations of its tracks in said Lowell, as follows:

In Rogers Street, from a point 200 feet west of Nesmith Street to a point approximately 1150 feet east of Boylston Street, including the necessary changes in the double-track branch-off leading to Laurel Street;

In Nesmith street, from Rogers Street approximately 200 feet westerly;

On Gorham Street, between Maple and Fay streets;

Together with such switches, curves and cross connections as may be necessary or convenient for the operation of the cars of said Company; and to erect all necessary additional poles and make all necessary changes in existing poles, wires and other appliances connected therewith, all substantially as shown on plan to be filed with this petition, and that it be granted the right to operate said tracks with electricity as the motive power.

Bay State Street Railway Company.
By P. F. Sullivan, President.

Lowell, Mass., March 29, 1915.

On the foregoing petition the Municipal Council of the City of Lowell will give a hearing at their room, City Hall, Tuesday, April 20, 1915, at 11 o'clock a. m.

By order of the Municipal Council,
STEPHEN FLYNN, Clerk.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.	Portland Div. To Boston Lve.	Arr.	From Boston Lve.	Arr.
5.43	6.50	6.05	8.33	6.35	7.26	x6.39	8.06
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6.22	7.03	8.30	9.08				
8.06	8.50	10.30	11.36				
9.46	10.30	11.40	12.36				

Sunday Trains

Southern Division			
6.47	7.30	8.45	9.47
7.21	8.05	9.30	10.08
8.30	9.36	11.30	12.00
9.46	9.55	1.00	1.39
10.20	11.17	5.30	6.24
2.42	3.25	8.00	8.33
5.10	6.00	8.30	9.08
6.27	7.10	9.30	10.25
8.08	8.50	10.30	11.33
9.46	10.30		

Portland Division			
8.20	9.27	8.00	9.18
12.10	1.16	12.00	1.00
3.50	5.05	3.30	4.48
5.45	7.00	5.20	6.38
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GERMAN LINES CAN BE PIERCED

Movements When Way Was Open Declares British Observer

French Attacks at Perthes Helped British AttackNeuveChapelle

LONDON, April 3.—The official British observer with the French army compares in his latest report, which was issued last night, the results achieved by the French offensive in Champagne with the objects with which the operations were undertaken.

The objects, he says, were to keep a constant pressure on the German first line defenses, in order to effect the use by the Germans of the railway from Bazancourt to Challerange, and to wear down their reserves of men and ammunition.

"As regards the first object," says the report, "the pressure continued for 31 days, with the result that the enemy has lost the fortified area which he had been holding and continually strengthening for five months.

"His use of the Challerange and Bazancourt line had not been materially affected, for, although at certain points it is within range of the French guns, he can, without difficulty, continue to run the trains required for the maintenance of the corps on that part of the front, and the junction at Challerange is secure.

"No Central German Reserves"

"The using up of his reserves has been achieved in a very marked manner. At the beginning of the operation there were some 18 regiments in that part of the line. At its conclusion 33 have been identified.

"Fifteen that had been called up to withstand the French offensive were drawn from many parts of the German line, which indicates that the enemy has no central reserves that he can call up in case of an emergency.

"As regards ammunition: The German artillery has practised economy, which is unusual with them. On many days they made no effort to keep down the fire of the French guns, although this meant heavier losses for their infantry in the trenches.

"This showed clearly that their supply of ammunition was not all that they could have wished, and an extra expenditure may well have made itself felt in the amount available on all parts of the German front.

Helped Russia to Meet Attacks

"Two valuable lessons, therefore, have been learned from these operations. The first is that the German front can be pierced. There were moments both in Champagne and Neuvre Chapelle when the way was open, when nothing more formidable than the weak resistance of sorely-tried troops faced the attackers, and it does not follow because the hole was closed before advantage could be taken of it that this will be the case every time.

"The second lesson learned is that a serious attack on one point has an effect on the enemy's plans and fighting power at every other point. The British attack at Neuve Chapelle ruined the enemy's chances of a big success at St. Eloi. The French attacks at Perthes helped the British attack at Neuve Chapelle, and both these assisted the Russians to withstand the German offensive in the Eastern theatre."

French System of Reserves

Speaking of the inspectors by Gen. Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, of several divisions which had been through the whole of the fighting, the observer says:

"We must not forget that these regiments have had to be brought up to strength, sometimes almost reorganized, after each of their attacks, of which they carried out several during the last 30 days. What we really are looking at is the French system of reinforcements and the system which keeps the army corps not only up to their strength, but up to their full standard of fighting efficiency. It is one which plainly is answering well.

"There is an idea in many circles that France has a number of army corps or divisions somewhere in the background ready to be thrown into the fighting when the great day of victory is at hand. This idea should be dismissed. The army corps of France are all fighting and her reserves will enable them to keep fighting, and fighting hard, so long as the war continues."

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THE TEXT BOOKS INQUIRY KILLED

Bill for Emergency Hospital Rooms Refused Third Reading

Supreme Court to Consider Constitutionality of an Income Tax

BOSTON, April 3.—In the state senate yesterday the bill requiring manufacturers who employ 25 persons or more to establish emergency hospital rooms on their premises for treatment of injured, of ill employes was refused a third reading, 14 to 17.

The resolve for an investigation by the state board of education as to the advisability of Massachusetts preparing, compiling and publishing its free text books was rejected without debate or division.

The Boston school teachers' pension bills were put over to Wednesday, as was also the "pony express" liquor transportation bill for no-license cities and towns.

All rules were suspended and the resolve to pay John E. Abbott, since 1895 clerk of senate rules, $1200 annuity received its several readings, was engrossed and sent down for enactment. They were also suspended to pass the bill to allow Watertown to borrow $73,000 to construct a schoolhouse. It was engrossed and sent to the house.

Senator Gordon of Springfield obtained the substitution of a resolve for an adverse report to pay Asa K. Patten of that city $12,000 for injuries received by a defect in the Charles river esplanade. The legislature adjourned to 2 o'clock on Monday.

Brief on Income Tax

Ex-Representative John A. Curtin and Alexander Whiteside, counsel for the Massachusetts Tax association, asked the legislative committee on taxation yesterday morning to transmit to the supreme court a supplementary brief for consideration by the court in constitutionality of an income tax. The brief is for the affirmative.

Arthur D. Hill, counsel for the Boston Real Estate Exchange, was present but offered no objection to the transmission of the brief, and after a short hearing the committee voted to transmit the brief.

The supreme court has had under consideration for a week income tax legislation submitted by the legislature with an order requiring its opinion as to the constitutionality of the same.

Name New Police Chief

Governor Walsh said yesterday afternoon that he hopes to announce next week the appointment of a chief of the state police to succeed Maj-Gen. Jophanus H. Whitney, who died Sunday. Under the law the selection must be made from the present force.

Made as a Test Case

The question of the right of the Boston Transit commission to employ laborers who are not citizens at the Cypress street yards, So. Boston, was brought before Judge Logan of the South Boston court yesterday, the complainant being Edward F. Wallace, representing the state board of labor and industries.

The complaint is that the Transit commission employs non-citizens, in violation of chapter 600, Acts of 1914, Judge Logan took the matter under advisement.

The Cypress street yard is used for the storage of brick and other construction materials and for making cement forms. There is also a machine shop there.

Commissioner of Labor Edwin Mulready and E. Leighton Beal, secretary of the Transit commission, said yesterday that the question at issue has been a matter of friendly controversy for some time, and has been brought into court in order to get a judicial decision as to whether the Transit commission in its attitude is within the law or not.

The complainant claims that the Transit commission is obliged by law to employ citizens when they are available.

If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Gagnon, 466 Merrimack street.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

At last evening's meeting of Wamesit lodge, 25, K. of P. two applications for membership were received and referred to the investigation committee. A communication from the grand lodge was read by the keeper of records and seals and acted upon. The sick committee reported that Brothers Belle-Isle and Dube, who have been ill, are much better and able to resume work. It was announced that the lodge will work the rank of knight on five esquires next Friday evening.

Eirene Lodge, I. O. G. T.

At the regular meeting of Eirene lodge, I. O. G. T., held at the home of Mrs Sadie Warren, Kenwood, the following delegates were elected to the annual session of Merrimack Valley district lodge: F. E. McLean, G. F. Tilton, Jr, and Helen S Lester A committee was also appointed to make arrangements for a public meeting and concert to be held in Veritas hall on Thursday evening, April 29. Following the business session there were songs by Mrs. Ina Mountford and Miss Maud M Mountford Refreshments were served.

When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, Donoran bldg. Telephone.

GREAT EASTER FESTIVAL

Continued

violin, piano and organ.
Processional Hymn: Jesus Christ is Risen Today.
Introit Anthem: Benedictus in A, Mrs. H. H. A. Beach.
Responses to the Commandments and Gloria Tibi in F.....Stainer
Sermon Hymn: Come Ye Faithful.
Offertory Anthem: .....H. W. Parker
Light's Glittering Morning Bedecke the Sky.
Sanctus in F .....Gounod
Communion Hymn: At the Lamb's High Feast.
Gloria in Excelsis .....Old Chant
Recessional Hymn: The Day of Resurrection.
Postlude—Finale—Bartlett.
Carol service at 6.30.
Music by the Sunday school of the church.
Mr. Charles F. Brown, organist and choirmaster.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Processional Hymn, Jesus Christ is Risen Today .....Morgan
Anthem, Christ Our Passover, ... Beethoven
Gloria Patri .....Beethoven
Te Deum in Key of B Minor..D. Buck
Jubilate Deo .....Fairclough
Hymn, "The Day of Resurrection." ..... Tours
Kyrie ..... Woodward
Gloria Tibi .....Tuckerman
Offertory Anthem: God Hath Appointed a Day .....Tours
Sanctus Hymn: And Now, O Father, Mindful of the Love.....Mowk
Recessional Hymn: At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing.....Rosemiller

ST. LOUIS'

Solemn High Mass at 9.30
Processional—Organ and orchestra
Introit—Resurrexi ..... Gregorian
Kyrie ..... Blasel
Gloria ..... Blasel
Credo ..... Blasel
Offertory
Haec Dies ..... Hammerel
Soloists: Clemence Simard and Isaie Michaud.
Sanctus ..... Blasel
Agnus Dei ..... Blasel
Recessional—Organ and orchestra
Soloists at mass: Misses Clemence Simard, Alice Pratte, Bernnadette Fontaine and Eva Dupuis; Isaie Michaud, Arcelie Brunelle, Urgele Favreau and O. J. David. Miss Ida Mongrain, organist, and O. J. David, choirmaster.

FIRST TRINITARIAN CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Morning 10.30
Anthem, Awake, Thou That Sleepest Simper
Senior choir
Anthem, From Thy Love as a Father, From the Redemption by Gounod
Senior choir with solo by Miss Eva Henderson
Anthem by Junior choir
Song and recitations by beginners' department of Sunday school.
12 m. Graded Sunday school Brief opening exercises and lesson and general assembly in vestry at 12.35. Contest announcements and Easter dedication service.
4 p. m. Special service addressed by Dr. Emrich, secretary of Home Missionary society in English and Dr. Hajjar of Lawrence in Arabic for Syrian and other peoples understanding this language.
6.45 C. E. Topic, In the Face of Triumph or Disaster, What? Leader, Mr. Lockhart.
7 p. m. Evening worship with sermon, The Double Victory of Christ and the Christian, of Soul and Body, over Sin and Death, in Life and Through Death.
Percy W. Edmunds, musical director; Walter W. Coburn, organist; Mrs. Wm. Wiggin, leader of junior choir.
Seats free, all services. Strangers welcome.

ST PAUL'S M E CHURCH

Morning Service, 10.30
Organ prelude, Resurrection Morn, Johnson
Doxology, Apostles' Creed, Congregation standing
Anthem, Unfold, Ye Portals, from the Redemption.
Prayer and response
Anthem, The Dawn of Easter
Junior choir
Responsive reading and Gloria, Congregation standing.
Scripture reading
Anthem, As it Began to Dawn, Vincent
Offertory, Adio .....Bohm
Hymn
Sermon, "Emancipation from the Fear of Death."
Hymn
Benediction
Postlude, Hosanna .....Wachs
Large junior choir, Mrs. C. F. Richardson, leader.
Adult chorus, 30 voices, Peter Picken, director.
Organist, Charles V. Barker.
Sunday school concert at 6 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. J. M. Craig, Pastor
Morning, 10.30
Organ voluntary, St. Cecelia...Batiste
Anthem, Herald the Story,
Junior Choir
Miss Edith E. Haines, Director
Scripture reading
Hymn
Prayer
Anthem, What Say the Bells?
Junior Choir
Offertory ..... Tucker
Hymn
Sermon, "The Rending of the Veil."
Anthem, Glad Easter Day,
Choir
Evening at 7
Organ voluntary .....Mendelssohn
Hymn
Reading of Scriptures
Anthem, Christ Is Risen.....Adams
Prayer
Anthem, Easter Bells.....Rosmon
Offertory
Sermon, "No Resurrection, No Christianity."
Hymn
Organist, Miss Minnie Tucker.
Geo. F. Maguire, director.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Morning at 10.30
Easter service. Sermon, "The Great Hope."
The following elaborate musical program will be rendered by the full choir, assisted by Mr. William Daley, violinist of Boston.
Organ Voluntary .....Godard
Mr. Daley and Mrs. Taylor
Anthems:
I Heard a Great Voice.....Manney
As It Began To Dawn.....Ambrose
O Risen Lord .....Fisher
Violin Obligato
Response, The Buds Are Bursting On the Trees .....Warren
Offertory Solo, Sanctus.....Gounod
Mr. Daley
Jesus Christ Is Risen ....Neidlinger
Postlude ..... Lemmens
Sunday school in the auditorium at 12. The choir and Mr. Daley will assist. Communion and reception of members at 4.30.

PAWTUCKET CHURCH

Morning at 10.30
Organ prelude, Toccata in D...Kinder
Anthem, Christ is Risen.....Minshall
Solo, Resurrection Day .....Huhn
Mrs. A. T. Howe
Carol, Ring the Joy-bells.....Hosmer
Organ offertory, In Springtime, Kinder
Carols:
(a) Sweet the Bells are Ringing Shannon
(b) Sweet and Clear the Birds are Singing ..... Ballard
Anthem, I Know That My Redeemer Lives .....Vincent
Organ postlude, Hosanna .....Wachs
Music by the chorus choir of the church and the junior choir, Sidney R. Fleet, organist and director.
Evening at 6
Easter Sunday school concert under the direction of Superintendent Charles F. Miles.

CENTRALVILLE M. E. CHURCH

Rev. W. Earl Pittenger, Pastor
J. Edward Leith, organist; Frank R. Hutchinson, violinist; E. W. Killpartrick, musical director.
Morning at 10.30
Prelude, Adoration (from The Holy City) ..... Gaul
Anthem, As It Began to Dawn..Stults
Chorus choir, with soprano solo by Miss Laura Callahan
Response, Why Seek Ye the Living Trowbridge
Quartet
Tenor solo, Alleuia! He Is Risen Neidlinger
Mr. Edwin W. Killpartrick
With violin obligato
Offertory, Minuet ..... Beethoven
Sermon, Christ's Message of Immortality,
Pastor
Postlude, March .....Guirand
Evening at 6.30
Easter concert by the Sunday school.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST

Prelude—Adagio Pathetique ...Godard
Violin and Organ
Anthems:
I Heard a Great Voice .....Manney
As It Began to Dawn .....Ambrose
O Risen Lord (violin obligato) ..... Fisher
Christ is Risen .....Turner
Response—The Buds Are Bursting on the Trees ..... Warren
Offertory: Sanctus (violin solo) Gounod
Mr. William L. Daley
Choir: Mrs. Winifred Flagg Symonds, soprano; Mrs. Nettie L. Roberts, alto; Mr. Fred Booth, tenor; Mr. Harry Needham, bass; Mrs. Helen C. Taylor, organist and director; assisted by Mr. William L. Daley, violinist, Boston.

FIRST BAPTIST

Rev. Arthur Crawley Archibald pastor.
10.30 a. m.
Organ prelude, "Old Hundred"...Eddy
Hymn 137
Chorus, "He is Risen,".....Gadsby
Hymn 152.
Duet, "The Magdalene,".....Earren
Sermon, "Spiritual Sublimity of Baptism and Easter."
Quartet, "Alleluia," .....Humphries
Baptism
6.30 p. m.
Organ recital—
1 March .....Wagner
2 Meditation .....LeGarde
3 Grand chorus .....Dubois
4 March .....Gounod
Chorus, "O Light from Yonder Tomb," Dressler
Bass solo, "Resurrection Morn," Rodney
Quartet, "The Lily of the Valley" E. E. Adams
Sermon, "Real Trail Hitters"
Baptism.
Benedictory service.

KIRK STREET CONG. CHURCH

C. A. Lincoln, Pastor.
10.30 a. m. Morning Worship. Special Easter Music
Organ prelude: Fantasie .....Tours
Easter Carol: Let the Merry Church Bells Ring .....Clough-Leiter
Organ Offertory: Gavotte.....Thomas
Anthem: Who Will Roll Us Away the Stone? .....Spence
Soprano Solo: Alleluia.....Humphries
Anthem: Victory .....Shelley
Organ postlude: March.....Faulkes
12 M. Easter Service in the Sunday School:
Processional March
"Welcome,"
Donald Alexander
"An Easter Dialogue,"
Woodbury Howard, Wright McAllister
Scripture Reading,
The Superintendent
Carol, "Christ Arose."
Senior Chorus
Prayer, The Pastor.
Song.
Primary Department
"Easter Legends."
Helen Carley, John J. Harvey, Jr.
"A Legend Confirmed,"
Brooke Coverns
Song, "Crown the Easter King,"
Junior Department
"The Legend of the Robin,"
George Stevens
"What the Bird Sang,"
Frances MacBrayne
"The Transformation,"
Gordon McAllister
Easter Acrostic,
Miss Greene's Class
Anthem: "The Easter Bells Are Chiming,"
Senior Chorus
Recessional March.

GRACE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Morning 10.30
Organ voluntary, Prelude, Unfold Ye Portals ..... Gounod
Jerusalem ..... Nevin
Germania Ladies' Orchestra
Anthem, I Am He That Liveth, Fisher
Response, 'Tis Finished .....Buck
Anthem, Jesus Lives .....Berwald
Anthem, Madrigale .....Splonette
Orchestra
Anthem, The Story Is Told, from "The Story of the Cross" .....Buck
Postlude, Romaine .....Gounod

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Service at 10.30 a. m.
Organ prelude, March on Easter Themes .....Andrews
Chorus, God Has Sent His Angels Stewart
Why Seek Ye the Living Among the Dead? .....Stamford
Let the Heavens Be Joyful.....Fletcher
Organ postlude, Alleluia in E flat Lovet
William A. Liddell, Supt. S. S.; Mrs. Charles A. Goggin, leader of children.
Easter Exercises in Song and Story at 6.30 p. m.
Miss Doris J. Bartlett will sing, O Eyes That are Weary and Hearts That are Sore .....Schnecker
Solo by Mr. George S. Drew
Alexander Leggatt, musical director; Miss Ella L. Gale, organist; chorus choir, Miss Hazel Wirt, soprano.
Rev. William A. Bartlett, D. D., will preach, closing the series of special Sunday evening services conducted for the past 10 weeks.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Morning, 10.30
Anthem, Awake Thou That Sleepeth, Maker
Quartet, Consider the Lilies.....Topliff
Anthem, Why Seek Ye the Living Among the Dead? .....Brown
Communion service
Easter Concert, 6.30 p. m.
Baptism
Anthem, Christ is Risen.....Bracket
Quartet, Chime Ye Bells.....Walton
Quartet, Selected
The concert will consist of recitations and exercises together with carols and special exercises by the primary department.
Mrs. Charles G. Martin, soprano; Mrs. H. R. Hanson, alto; Mr. Edward R. Wirt, tenor; Mr. Henry G. Hardy, bass; Mr. Frank B. Hill, organist and director.

GORHAM STREET METHODIST

Morning, 10.30
Prelude, Intermezzo in E, John H. Major
Anthem, Christ is Risen, Carrie B. Adams
Choir
Invocation, Doxology, Psalm 24, Hymn 109, Prayer
Tenor solo, Calvary .....Rudney
Mr. Fred Potter
Lesson
Anthem, Christ is Risen..E. L. Ashford
Choir
Announcements, Hymn 157
Sermon
Alto solo, He is Not Here for He is Risen ..... Broome
Mrs. Eva Stokes
Offertory, Faith (with violin), D. R. Munro
Gloria Patri, Benediction
Postlude, Processional March, E. Guirand
A fine program will be rendered at 6.30 p. m.

ELIOT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Morning, 10.30
Prelude, Fantasie ..... Dubois
Soprano solo, Fear Not Ye, O Israel, Dudley Buck
Miss Clara Sexton
Duet, Hosanna ..... Jules Grainier
Miss Clara Sexton and Mr. Albert Edmund Brown
Offertory, Intermezzo ..... Wely
Bass solo, Our Risen King..A. F. Loud
Mr. Albert Edmund Brown
Postlude ..... Stern
Soloists: Miss Clara Sexton, soprano, Boston Opera company; Mr. Albert Edmund Brown, baritone; organist, Mr. Clayton B. Kimball.

HIGH STREET CHURCH

Morning Worship, 10.30
Organ prelude, Grand Chorus..Dubois
Anthem, As It Began to Dawn, A. H. Ryder
Anthem, To the Paschal Victim, H. J. Stewart
Anthem, On Wings of Living Light, H. N. Bartlett
(With Violin Obligato)
Solo and quartet, The Buds Are Bursting on the Trees.....E. E. Adams
Anthem, God Has Appointed a Day, Tours
Violin solo, Meditation .....Massenet
Organ postlude, Triumphal March, Verdi
Choir: Edward Everett Adams, tenor and chorister; Miss Etta R. Thompson, soprano; Miss Rena J. Landers, contralto; John S. Moir, bass; Charles O. Allen, organist; Miss Helen P. Leonard, violinist.
Evening service at 7 p. m.

Dancing till 1, Asso., Monday eve.

LEON CHESTER THRASHER

AMERICAN MINING ENGINEER LOST WHEN GERMAN SUBMARINE SANK BRITISH LINER

LEON CHESTER THRASHER

WASHINGTON, April 3.—The state department has instructed Ambassador Page and Consul General Skinner at London, to make an investigation into the circumstances surrounding the death of Leon C. Thrasher, the American mining engineer, drowned when the German submarine sent the British liner Falaba to the bottom. The ambassador and consul general reported that they had been informed that Thresher had been drowned, but they said they had no official information. They do not know whether ample time was given for escape and Thresher was negligent, whether he was killed by the explosion caused by the torpedo or drowned while the vessel was sinking. Officials had little doubt that the case eventually would form the subject of representations to Germany. In its note, after Germany's war zone proclamation, the Washington government notified the German foreign office that it would feel compelled to hold that government to "strict accountability" for the loss of American lives or property through the operations of submarines against British merchant shipping.

GOOD FRIDAY SERMONS

STORY OF CHRIST'S PASSION TOLD AT CATHOLIC CHURCHES LAST EVENING

Large congregations attended the solemn Good Friday devotions at the various Catholic churches of the city yesterday. In the afternoon at 3 p. m. the stations of the cross were held, and in the evening the tenebrae service was sung, followed by a sermon on the passion and death of Christ. After the sermon a crucifix was laid within the sanctuary and the congregation drew near and, kneeling down, kissed it devoutly. At the Immaculate Conception church, a relic of the true cross was venerated after the devotions of the stations of the cross.

The passion sermon at the Immaculate Conception church was preached by Rev. James P. McCartin, O. M. I., who gave a most impressive picture of the events leading up to the tragedy of Calvary, and brought home the significance of the death of Christ. The sermon at St. Patrick's was preached by Rev. Fr. Callahan, at St. Peter's by Rev. Fr. Crayton, at the Sacred Heart by Rev. Charles Fallon, O. M. I. of Tewksbury novitiate, and at St. Margaret's by Rev. Fr. Reardon. Last evening's services brought the tenebrae devotions to a close, and the ritualistic mourning will end in the services of Easter which are characterized by joy and gladness.

This morning the ceremonies of the blessing of the new fire and the baptismal and Easter water were held, and everything is now in readiness for the elaborate Easter programs.

Mary, Thomas, Peter and the Others Were as Human as You Are! They Saw and heard the Risen Christ. Dr. Bartlett Tells the Story Sunday Night.

FIRE ON MT. HOPE ST.

The alarm from box 76 at 4.51 o'clock yesterday afternoon was for a brush fire off Mt. Hope street. A telephone alarm was received at 4.31 o'clock for a grass fire off Riverside street, which was extinguished by Hose 10.

Thomas C. Lee & Co. carried insurance on the property in the name of Charles D. Foley, 37 Newhall street, damaged by fire Thursday.

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TELLS OF FLIGHT FROM KURDS

Wife of Missionary Was In Village Ravashed by Kurds

Mrs. Oster, With Month-Old Baby Rode Horse to Safety

RUTLAND, Vt., April 3.—The flight of a missionary family, including a four-weeks'-old baby, from the ravages of the Kurds in villages at Azerbijan, Persia, and some of the fighting between Russians and the native tribes in that country, are described in a letter just received here.

The writer, Mrs. Florence White Oster, a Seventh Day Adventist missionary, tells of the sacking and burning of the village of Meondoab and of the subsequent flight of Rev. Mr. Oster, herself and her child, from Maragha when the tribesmen threatened that place.

"Children were thrown into icy rivers and women were treated dreadfully during the sacking of Meondoab, according to the letter, which continues:

"We left Maragha by night with the Russian army of 8000 men retreating from Meondoab. I rode the horse with our four-weeks'-old baby, while Mr. Oster led him. That first flight and day I kept the saddle for 14 hours without a rest.

"We fell off the horse once right in a small stream. A soldier helped us a bit. He thought baby was a bundle of something we did not wish so threw her over to one side of the road. Baby seemed to enjoy the ride and did not care how much she was jolted.

"We have been wonderfully cared for by God. The Kurds and Turks took this place also, but no murdering took place. Now the Russians have taken Tabriz and we feel quite safe again.

"Just six miles from here 800 Kurds were killed, 500 taken prisoners and about 500 escaped. The ground was strewn with their bodies. Because of the defeat we fear they will take vengeance on Maragha. As yet the Russians are not strongly enforced enough to go down to Maragha. We do not know if they must wait until they get through fighting the Germans or not.

"We have seen more real suffering. Hundreds of refugees are fleeing through the snow barefoot. Many are dying from starvation.

"We are kindly cared for here by the Presbyterian missionaries from America. They have given us a room in the girls' school and we are boarding ourselves. We are not yet out of danger, for the Turks are stronger near the boundary, and with the Kurds to help, we surely have something to fear. About 10,000 Russians are here, but we do not know when they will be called away."

Broderick's orch., Asso., Monday eve.

TROLLEY MEN ASK INCREASE

New Contract Effective June 1, to Be Drawn Up

Worcester and Springfield Men Will Negotiate With Company

SPRINGFIELD, April 3.—After the expected adjustment of the grievances that caused the strike on the lines of the Springfield Street Railway system at the hearing in this city next Wednesday, before the state board of conciliation and arbitration, negotiations will be immediately started relative to a new contract between the Springfield and Worcester trolleymen and the company, to go into effect June 1.

It is proposed to ask for an increase in wages for the men in both cities and day pay for the Worcester trolleymen, who are now paid by the hour. Springfield employes are already on the day-pay basis.

A tentative draft of a contract will be submitted to the officials of the New England Investment and Securities company, controlling the Springfield and Worcester trolley properties, prior to May 1. The scale demanded will increase the minimum pay above $2.30 a day and the maximum above $2.85 a day. Trolleymen in Worcester now receive a minimum of 23 cents an hour and a maximum of 25 1-2 cents an hour, while in Springfield, on the basis of a nine hour day, 31 2-3 cents an hour is the maximum day.

In both cities, however, man must serve three years before he is entitled to receive the maximum wage. John H. Reardon of Worcester, member of the international executive board, remained in town until this afternoon when he left the city to attend scheduled meetings of Holyoke and Northampton union officials.

He said that the present agreement between the trolleymen and the New England Investment and Securities company was made June 1, 1912, for three years. According to a paragraph in the agreement, drawn at that time, all contemplated changes in contract must be put in definite form before May 1, and in view of this fact the union officials will begin to hold meetings regarding this phase of the question as early as April 15. It is known that changes are also desired in the arbitration agreement.

Money deposited today, April 3rd, in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank will bear interest from this date.

OUR DICTIONARY HELPS

MILITARY AND NAVAL TERMS OFTEN PUZZLE—NEW DICTIONARY AIDS READING WAR REPORTS

Definitions of military and naval terms, grouped together under a single heading, is one of the special features of The New Universities Dictionary now being offered to readers of The Sun, contributing to the splendid success attending the distribution of the book. Nearly everybody nowadays is reading about the war, and not infrequently the reports from the other side contain some word or expression with which the average reader is unfamiliar.

The meaning of such terms can readily be had by turning to The New Universities Dictionary, as well as that of many expresions which have come into more common usage since the continent of Europe has become one vast battle ground and the high seas turned into a "danger zone" by the naval operations of the contending powers.

In all there are twenty-five of these supplementary dictionaries containing the definitions of hundreds of words brought into general and proper use not only by the war in Europe but by the forward steps in science, business, society, religion and the increasing popularity of sports of all kinds, which can be found in no dictionary other than the one The Sun is distributing among its readers at a nominal cost.

Coupons are being redeemed in large quantities, so enthusiastically has the offer been received, and it is evident that The New Universities Dictionary is finding its way into the business office as well as the home.

See the window display at The Sun office.

SUN FEATURES MONDAY

Latest Fashion News with Illustrations on Women's Page—Lady Lookabout and Other Contributors

The latest fashion news, pleasingly illustrated with pictures of the latest styles in gowns, will be found on the Women's Page of The Sun on Monday. The page will contain helpful reading matter that will interest all the women readers.

A fine recipe for removing grease from carpets will be found in "What the Cook Says," which article will also have various helpful kitchen hints.

Health and beauty hints, general matters of improving personal appearance, arrangement of the hair, new coiffeeres, and other affairs of interest to the ladies will be discussed in "What Hortense Told Me."

A home facial massage will be described "In Milady's Boudoir." "The French Maid" will tell how to renovate old gloves. "Naughty Spotty" will be a delightful story for the little readers of The Sun.

Open an account in The Lowell Five Cent Savings Bank. Interest begins today, April, 3rd.